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MR. ROOSEVELT'S COLD RECEPTION OF INFLATION DEMANDS

FASCISM IN AUSTRIA

DR. DOLLFUSS CAPITULATES TO HEIMWEHR

New Cabinet Opposed To Nazis.

PRO-ITALIAN POLICY PROBABLE

Vienna, To-day.

The Austrian Chancellor, Dr. Dollfuss after seeing the President of the Federation, Dr. Wilhelm Miklas, has decided to personally take over the entire State Executive, he announces in a communique published at mid-night.

Dr. Dollfuss will form a Cabinet of leading personalities. All Cabinet members who are Members of Parliament will resign their mandates.—Reuter.

MANY MINISTERS RESIGN

Later.

According to the journal *Neue Freie Presse* the Austrian Vice-Chancellor, Herr F. Winkler, the Minister of Interior, Dr. Schumy, the Minister of Public Safety, Major Emil Fey, popularly known as "Austria's Strong Man", and two Secretaries of State, have resigned.

It is also rumoured that Herr Karl Vaugin, Minister for Defence has also resigned.—Reuter.

The disunion within the Austrian Cabinet was revealed at the press conference held at Graz, Styria, on Sunday last, when Herr Winkler threatened to resign. He declared that the "National Front" had rejected any form of Fascism, and that the recent activities of the Heimwehr, the Fascist organisation under Prince Starhemberg, had become intolerable.

The time had come, he said, when Dr. Dollfuss must make up his mind what course he was going to follow.

FIVE PORTFOLIOS FOR DOLLFUSS.

Major Fey, Vice-Chancellor.

Vienna, To-day.

The full Austrian Cabinet has not yet finally been announced, but Dr. Dollfuss is to be Chancellor, Foreign Minister, Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Defence and Minister of Public Security, so as to be head of the Army Police and Gendarmerie.

Major Fey is to be Vice Chancellor and Dr. Buresch, Finance Minister.

The Government will consist of five Ministers and seven Secretaries of State.—Reuter.

NEW FASCIST GOVERNMENT.

Vienna, Later.

Dr. Dollfuss, the Austrian Chancellor, appears to have almost completely capitulated to the Heimwehr, the Austrian Fascist organisation under Prince Starhemberg.

The new Government seems to be Fascist and likely to be pro-Italian. It will be opposed to the Nazis and Socialists.

The Heimwehr has no wide or popular following in the country.—Reuter.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT ORDERED TO BED

Doctors Taking No Chances With Slight Fever

Washington, To-day.
Doctors have ordered President Roosevelt to bed, owing to a slight fever.
Fears have been frequently expressed of late that the tremendous demands made on the occupant of the White House would overtax Mr. Roosevelt's strength. The N.R.A., particularly, has kept the President working at high pressure.—Reuter.

AMERICA SEEK SOVIET MARKETS

Disposing Of Surplus Commodities.

DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION AS A BARGAIN

Washington, To-day.
President Roosevelt has appointed Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Governor of the Farm Relief Credit Organisation, to conduct trade negotiations with the Soviet.

The outcome of the negotiations is expected to have an important bearing on the question of American recognition of the Soviet, as President Roosevelt is eager to restore American trade with Russia, which last year was only one-tenth of the previous value.

He is particularly anxious to dispose of part of America's surplus commodities, such as cotton. It is understood that the Soviet has offered to buy 3,000,000 bales of American cotton if acceptable credit facilities can be arranged.—Reuter.

RECOGNITION BEFORE JANUARY

New York, To-day.
United States recognition of Soviet Russia before Congress is convened in January is reliably indicated.

It is learnt that President Roosevelt told the Foreign Affairs consultant that he wished to dispose of the matter while he was assured of freedom of action.—Reuter.

RICE TAX CUT BY CANTON

Reduced To 60 Cents A Picul.

EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY

Canton, To-day.
The Canton Financial Department has announced its decision to grant a concession to the rice importers by reducing the rice tax from \$1.50 per picul to 60 cents effective immediately.

The special taxation bureau for imported agricultural products has been functioning. Canton, while similar bureaux will soon be established at Swatow, Pakhoi, Kiangchow and Hongmoon.—Central News Agency.

Shanghai Sees New Market.

Shanghai, To-day.

Shanghai rice dealers regard the institution of a special tax on imported rice in Kwangtung as an opportunity for them to extend the marketing of Kwangtung products in South China.

They are sending representatives to Canton "in order to make arrangements with Canton rice merchants for the supply of Waha and Chinkiang rice products.—Central News Agency.

NOT A CURE—ALL

U.S. FARMERS WARNED BY WALLACE

Dangers of Uncontrolled Price Raising.

NO INFLATION FOR THREE MONTHS?

Chicago, To-day.

"Inflation is not a 'cure-all' and attempts to fix prices without controlling production are dangerous and doomed to failure," declared the United States Secretary of Agriculture, Mr. Henry C. Wallace, in a speech to the Grain Dealers' Association, here, yesterday.

Mr. Wallace's speech was approved by President Roosevelt.

He conceded the possibility that, in the event of the purchasing power of farm products not improving within the next three months, price-fixers and inflationists will have great power at the next Congress, in January.

He expected, however, decidedly higher agricultural prices.—United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

PITTMAN PREDICTS WORLD-INFLATION.

Only Domestic Inflation Of Silver?

New York, To-day.

Senator Key Pittman, in a statement to the United Press yesterday, predicted world wide inflation, which would double the price of gold to U. S. \$40, at which price it would probably be stabilized.

He believed that the United States should deal at present with the domestic silver question, leaving international re-monetisation to the future.

It is understood that he urged upon President Roosevelt that the re-monetisation of silver was the most logical course and that it would free the country from the dangers of paper inflation.—United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

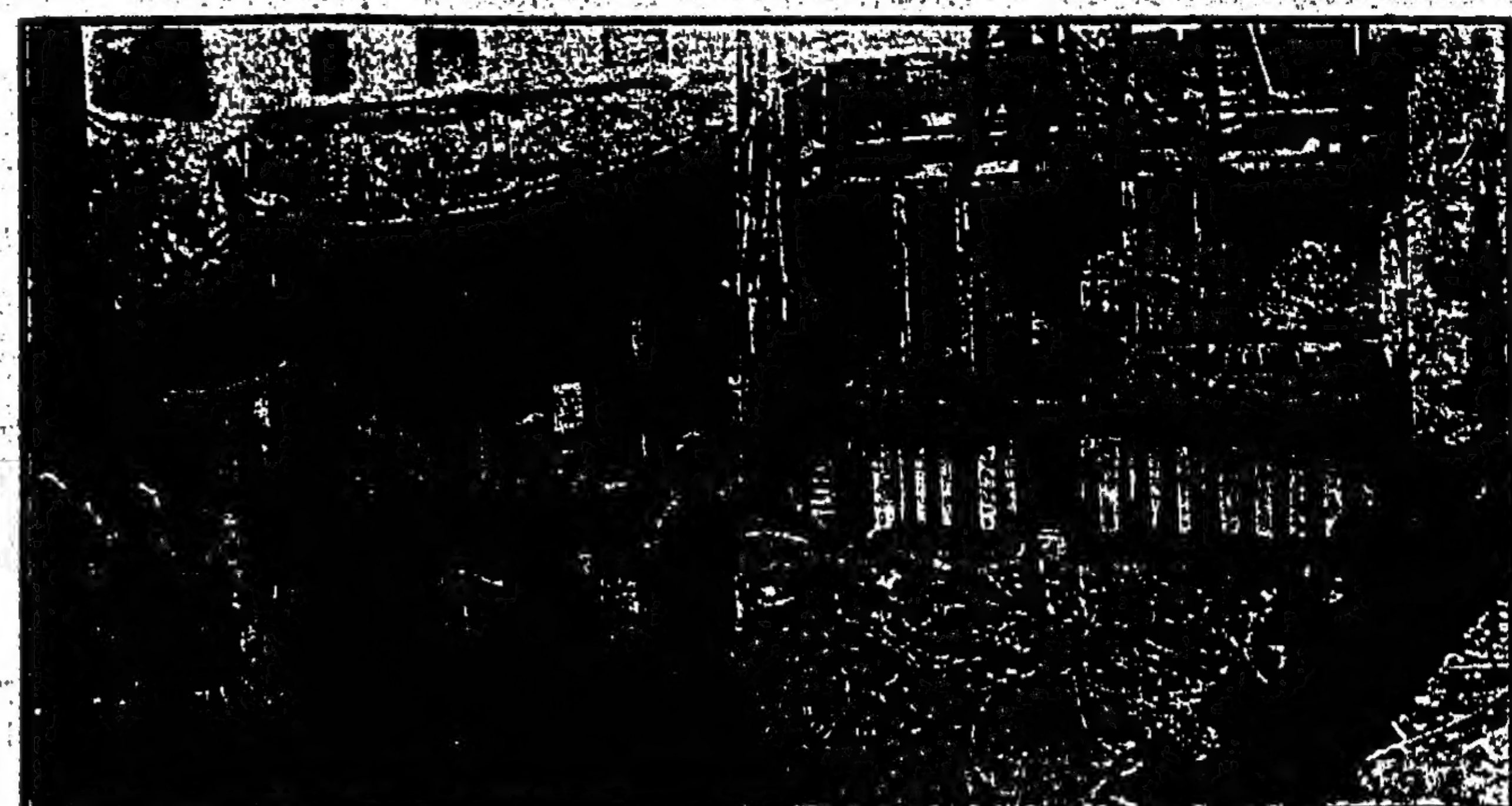
SOVIET MAY BUY U.S. COTTON.

Helping In Consumption Of 9,000,000 Bales.

Washington, To-day.
A project has been launched relieving the United States market of 9,000,000 bales of cotton.

As the outcome of representations from the delegates of nine States, Mr. Johnson, Financial Adviser to the Agricultural Adjustment Administration has undertaken to ask the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to finance the purchase of 9,000,000 bales, while the Soviet has offered to buy 3,000,000 bales. If credit facilities are granted.—Reuter.

News from Shanghai for the 24 hours ending 10 a.m. this morning shows a slight rise in the price of rice, but no change in the price of other commodities.—Reuter.



The ruins of the Berlin Reichstag Chamber following the disastrous fire, alleged to have been started by incendiaries, who face trial to-day at Leipzig. Following the outbreak, a number of arrests were made, and several other suspected persons are facing charges of high treason. The latter stages of the trial will be held in the ruined Reichstag. (S. & G.)

AMERICAN NAVY TO BE BUILT TO TREATY LIMITS

No Restrictions In Programme.

CONTRACTS ALREADY LET FOR 37 WARSHIPS

Washington, To-day.

President Roosevelt is expected to proceed without restriction on the building-up of the United States Navy to Treaty limits.

The programme involves an expenditure of \$47,000,000 on 37 warships, including four 10,000-ton cruisers, for the commencement of construction of which arrangements have already been made.

The President announces that contracts have already been let and under no circumstances will be recalled.

Navy officials point out that this building programme will still leave the United States 100 ships below the authorised strength of 1936.—Reuter.

LABOUR TROUBLE IN AMERICA.

PROTEST AGAINST COMPANY UNIONS

THREAT OF STRIKES.

Washington, To-day.

The President of the American Federation of Labour, Mr. William Green, yesterday announced that he had filed a protest against 18 large corporations in the United States, including the Dupont concern, and two of the Mellon companies, for forming company unions, thereby evading the National Recovery Administration's labour protective clause.

Mr. Green declared that labour was prepared to strike, if necessary, to force the employers to obey the National Recovery Administration.—United Press.

Anti-War Delegates

May Have To Return Home

Shanghai, To-day.

The possibility of Lord Marley and the other delegates to the projected anti-war conference returning whence they came, looks at present of their failure to hold the Congress here.

FORMATION OF NAVAL VOLUNTEER FORCE

Yacht Club Meeting Called For Thursday

Mr. A. L. Shields, Commodore of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club, has called a meeting on Thursday next of members of the Club who are interested in the formation of the proposed Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

The nature of the organisation will be explained and members will be given an opportunity of asking questions.

REASSURING NEWS OF CUBAN ENGLISHMAN

Besiegers Depart From His Mill.

REBELS SURROUNDED

U.S. Destroyers Ordered To Troubled Areas

Havana, To-day.

The Cuban Government have confirmed the report that 500 of rebels, under Captain Blas Hernandez, are surrounded by Government troops in Camaguey Province.

It is learned that the Englishman Hughes who was kept a prisoner in his mill at Soledad, is in no immediate danger. The besiegers of his mill have departed.

A message from Washington states that the United States Navy Department yesterday ordered four destroyers to proceed from Guantanamo, on the south coast of Cuba to the more troubled spots on the Islands.—Reuter.

BRITAIN AND FRANCE MAINLY IN AGREEMENT

Little Difference In Policy.

CABINET HEARS REVIEW OF PARIS PARLEY

London, To-day.

A full report of the Disarmament conversations in Paris was presented to a special meeting of the Cabinet held in Downing Street yesterday afternoon. The purpose of the Paris talks was mainly explanatory and exploratory, and the British Cabinet was yesterday, for the first time, in a position to understand what the French Government have in mind on every point which arises in connection with the Disarmament problem.

It is understood that the British Ministers were much impressed by their helpful and reasonable attitude, and it was found that the views of the two Governments do not largely differ on any question.

The British Government are at present considering the Disarmament Convention in relation to the French proposals regarding supervision and inspection of armaments, but that is only one of the points which must be considered in relation to the whole Disarmament Conference, and upon which no one Government can alone reach a decision.

In Geneva, next week, conversations will take place in which Italian, American and German representatives will also take part.

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BRITISH STATESMEN FOR GENEVA.

Sir John Simon And Captain Eden.

London, To-day.

The Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, and the Parliamentary Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, Captain Anthony Eden, will leave London either to-day or to-morrow for Geneva.

They will break their journey in Paris, where they will see the French Ministers who took part in the conversations with Captain Eden and Lord Tyrard earlier this week.

REICHSTAG FIRE TRIAL EXCITEMENT

81 Foreign Pressmen To Attend.

HIGH TREASON ADDED TO CHARGES

Leipzig, To-day.

On the eve of the opening of the great Reichstag fire trial, Dr. Parrisius, who organised the evidence for the trial in a statement to the press, indicated that only Vanderlubbe will be specifically charged with incendiarism, while Torgler, the Communist leader and three Bulgarians, will be charged with high treason, of which the Reichstag fire is only a part.

Vanderlubbe will be accused of incendiarism in four cases, namely, at the Reichstag, the City Hall, the former Imperial Palace in Berlin and the Welfare Office.

Dr. Parrisius emphasised the publicity given to the proceedings, and declared, "We have nothing to conceal. We desire truth and justice to prevail."

Eighty-one foreign pressmen will be among the 123 journalists in court, and gramophone records of important passages in evidence will be broadcast.

M. Stompe, the Dutch Counsel commissioned to defend Vanderlubbe will not be admitted to court.—Reuter.

Careful precautions are in force to prevent any interruption in the trial. Armed "Storm Troops" will surround the Court in a strong cordon and unauthorised persons will not be allowed in the precinct of the building. Searchlights will sweep the streets during the night and houses will be searched.

After one week's hearing in Leipzig, the trial will be transferred to Reichstag building in Berlin for two weeks, and will be brought back to Leipzig for the summing-up and judgement.

SHADOW TRIAL IN LONDON.

"Reds" Exonerated.

NAZIS SUSPECTED OF REICHSTAG FIRE PLOT.

London, To-day.

The Communist prisoners were exonerated in the Reichstag "shadow trial" held here by an international legal commission, whose lengthy findings conclude with the statement that the accused, Torgler, Dimitoff, Popoff and Tannet, were not concerned directly or indirectly with the fire.

The commission adds that grave grounds exist to suspect that the Reichstag was set on fire on behalf of leading Nazi personalities.

The commission found that the fifth accused, Van Der Lubbe, was an anti-Communist, who could not have committed the crime alone.—Reuter.

TYPHOON FILLS UP

Northern Storm Nearing Tokyo.

Tokyo.

The typhoon, which yesterday morning threatened the Colony, has now filled up. The northern typhoon has moved eastward and is now centred about 100 miles south of Tokyo.

Pale to showery weather, with moderate east winds, is forecast by the Royal Observatory in the weather report issued this morning.



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Something New To Knit

A Winter Lingerie Vogue.

It will still be fashionable to knit in the coming autumn and while the coming autumn and winter, and while the vogue may not reach the heights to which it attained last year the greatest difference will be not in how much, but in what women will knit.

Tentatively at first the idea of knitted lingerie was tried out, and this is quickly becoming very popular. "We know how much work of his kind is being done by the speed with which we have to renew our stock," said a representative of a Regent-street handicraft shop.

A two-ply mixture of wool and artificial silk is especially suitable. This yarn is guaranteed unshrinkable, and vest and knickers, taking only four ounces, are quickly made. Women once having found how soft, cosy, and well-fitting these garments can be, made up in plain or fancy stitches, will be replenishing their lingerie drawers during the next few weeks with dainty knitted sets in white and all the pastel shades in which it is available.

The Latest Caps
Millinery modes change swiftly, but those who still cling to the little wooden cap may at little expense and after but a few hours' work be in the height of fashion. Designs are already available showing the latest upward trend—top-trimmings and high, squared effects—and one or two should find a corner in the packing of all who are fortunate enough to have holidays still ahead.

The new autumn colour card reveals that "dirty pink" will survive in the realm of knitwear, whatever the dressmakers may do about it. This, no doubt, is because it has proved itself such a good "mixer," and an optional choice in cases where white was always a safe selection. The new "bark" green, which is rapidly establishing itself as the distinctive shade

RIBBED EFFECTS IN NEW FABRICS

The Striped Fur Jacket.

Ribbed effects in fur as well as in all sorts of new fabrics will be the vogue for autumn. Tailors are making good use of corduroy, with its wide stripes, plain and shot. Stripes also appear in velvets and quaint old-world failles, poplins, jersey and tweed.

Many of the new woollen materials show stripes with checks, too, and these are worked into ribbed surfaces.

At the popular Continental resorts separate jackets in linen and lawn have been the greatest success, worn over plain white crepe and silk frocks. Most attractive and fresh are green-and-white stripes, yellow, or red, with white. Brown-and-white striped silk and a grey-and-white are the favourites worn over thick white washable, and a grey-and-white stripe over grey georgette is cool and charming.

Possibly it was the latter that inspired an expert furrier, who has just designed a long-sleeved hip-length jacket in a very narrow and ingeniously worked stripe of dark grey-chinchilla-rat, with a paler grey stripe alternating. In the distance this attractive model resembles one of the new woollen fabrics that are heavily ribbed.

Civet-cat and several of the jungle family will be in demand for this striped fur-coatee model, but for sheer beauty the softer pelts, cut into stripes, will make more appeal, and retain their exclusive air.

BAGGY GLOVES

Brightly coloured baggy gloves with the new sombre evening dresses were exhibited at some of the Paris dress shows recently.

this autumn, is also shown. Colours generally are brighter, a feature particularly marked in the varying tones of blue. Very attractive, too, is a bright yet deep coral.

Menu Suggestions For To-morrow

Breakfast
Chilled Orange Juice
Soft Cooked Eggs
Browned Bacon
Bran Muffins Coffee
Luncheon
Egg Salad
Bread Peach Jam
Sugar Cookies
Iced Fruit Juice
Dinner
Creamed Peas and Mushrooms
Buttered Carrots
Bread Butter
Head Lettuce Russian Dressing
Fruit Compote
Iced Tea

Egg Salad, Serving Four
3 hard cooked eggs, diced
1/2 cup chopped celery
1/2 cup beans
2 tablespoons chopped onions
2 tablespoons chopped pickles
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon paprika
1/3 cup salad dressing
Mixed and chill ingredients.
Serve on cabbage or lettuce leaves.
Creamed Peas And Mushrooms
8 tablespoons butter
1/2 cup mushrooms

4 tablespoons flour
2 cups milk
1 cup cooked peas
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon paprika
1/2 teaspoon chopped parsley.
Place butter in frying pan. Add mushrooms, brown well. Add flour, cook slowly and mix until browned. Add rest of ingredients. Cook until thick and creamy. Stir constantly. Serve poured over buttered toast.

Fruit Compote
1 cup fresh peaches
1/3 cup coconut
1/4 cup sugar
1 cup diced pineapple
1/2 cup cherries
Mix and chill ingredients. Serve in glass cups.

Lemonade Syrup
1 1/2 cups lemon juice
1 1/2 cups sugar
2 cups water
6 cups iced water
Boil sugar and two cups water for three minutes. Cool and add lemon juice and store in ice box. When lemonade is desired add iced water and serve.



TONING LOTIONS NECESSARY

Action Differs From Astringent.

STIMULATES THE SKIN

Skin toning lotions are vitally important," says one of the foremost French manufacturers of cosmetics. And he goes on to explain that they serve two purposes. They remove all traces of your cleansing cream and give your skin just enough daily stimulation.

Skin toning lotions are not to be confused with astringents. It is true that they have a slight astringent quality, but they do not increase circulation to any great extent. They are exactly what their name implies—a gentle toning for the skin.

You can get a bottle of skin toning lotion in any store which sells cosmetics. After you have thoroughly cleansed your face with cleansing cream, saturate a piece of clean cotton with the skin toning lotion and wipe your face and neck with it. When dry, apply a powder base. Your face will feel cooler and cleaner, since the lotion removes all the excess cleansing cream which cleansing tissues did not.

Astringents as a daily routine are not for your face. They increase circulation artificially and anything which is artificial is not healthful if practised daily. You may use an astringent on your face occasionally, but, as a rule, save it for your chin and neck.

Astringents on your chin and neck should be used in conjunction with a patten. The treatment will reduce your chin if it has a tendency toward becoming a double one.

In other words, every woman needs both an astringent and a skin toning lotion. Each one goes far toward preserving your natural beauty.

Versatility In Millinery

Inspirations From Central Asia.

MANY TYPES IN PARIS

Paris.

A few hours spent on the leading avenues, or in the smart restaurants and tea rooms, here in Paris convinces one that this season's clothes are marked chiefly by their versatility. Take hats, for instance. Never have there been so many types, as there are at present. Some women have adopted wholeheartedly the very high hat introduced a few weeks ago. Others cling quite as persistently to the flat brimmed type. Sailors, or canotiers, as they are called here, are popular with the woman who goes in for tailored things, and variations of the turban are favourites with some of the best dressed women.

An interesting interpretation of the turban was seen at tea recently at Claridge's. The hat complemented the cornflower blue marocain dress from the Lucien Lelong salons, and was of the same colour in a heavy crepe. It gave the effect of being a single wide strip of material wound around and around, each band slipping a little out of the one below, until the high top was reached.

An ornament on one side appeared to be the only thing which held the silk in place, no sewing whatsoever being visible. The frock, was quite long—nearly ankle length, the popular new length for all sorts of formal afternoon wear. The square neckline was bordered by a wide band, which extended diagonally across the bodice in front and formed an inset portion of the skirt. The distinguishing feature of the dress was the wing-like draperies over the shorter-than-elbow sleeves.

Central Asian Models.

At one of the recent millinery openings, a very interesting collection was shown. Most of the models were inspired by the work of the popular artist Jacovlev, who not long ago, made an expedition through Central Asia and returned with numerous ideas adaptable to smart modern hats. Some of these new models were peaked caps, with cuffs; others were toques with a visor at front and earflaps which are tied together over the top of the hat. Besides these small hats, there were several brimmed models, with brims mounted high up on the crown, this, of course, giving a very shallow crown effect.

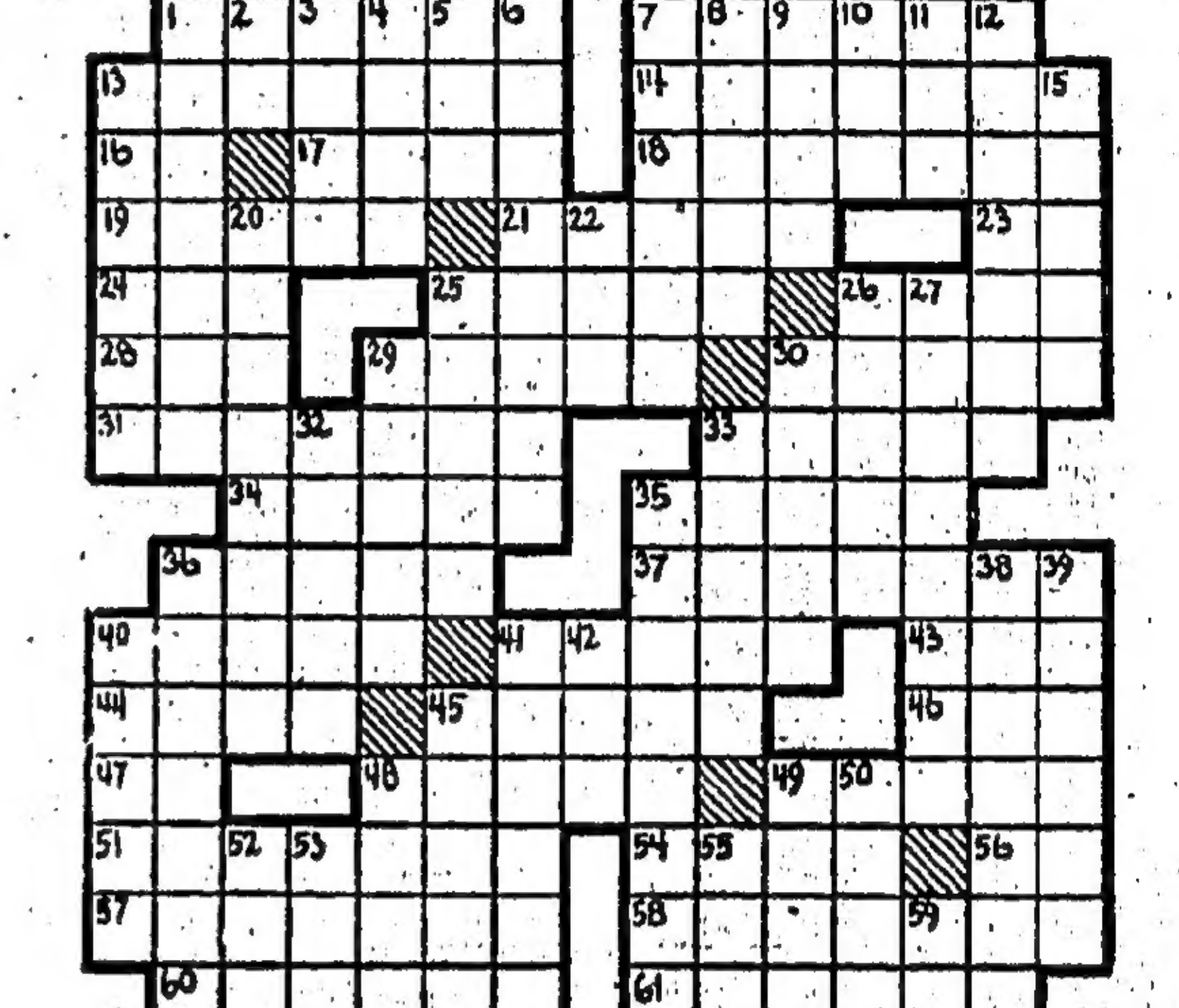
It is not only in hats, however, that versatility reigns, one notes it in frocks, and suits, as well. Shoulders are still in the limelight, but their treatment is multiple. The angel-wing shoulder effect, sponsored by Lelong, Schiaparelli, and others, is very popular with the very young and slender. Broad shoulders likewise have their adherents, and are not always as difficult to wear, as is sometimes imagined.

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This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and alltho.



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| HORIZONTAL
1-Savored
7-Small pigs
13-Pity
14-Tail
16-Prefix. From
17-A kiln for drying
18-hope
19-One who elects
20-Little boy
21-Small streams of water
22-Square land measure (abbr.)
24-I have (Cont.)
25-Sphere
26-Head (Obs.)
28-The (Ger.)
29-Readers muddy
30-An affray
31-The wearing away of rocks, as by water
33-Reputed birthplace of Apollo
34-Bird homes
35-Drill
36-Rate
37-Falls to follow suit when able
40-Fine wire nails
41-Famous
42-Skill
43-Moves very fast
45-A mountain nymph | HORIZONTAL (Cont.)
46-Three (Ital.)
47-The king of Babylon (Bib.)
48-Fleshy part of an animal (pl.)
49-Rob
51-Encroach
54-The exercise of a right
56-North latitude (abbr.)
57-Makes naked
58-An interior hall surrounded by a dome
60-Musically
61-Ensnare (Obs.) | VERTICAL (Cont.)
12-Tales
13-Abide
15-Eat away
20-Partaining to Nero
22-Sick
23-To misrepresent
27-Longhand
28-Ascends
30-Intended
32-Dispatches
33-Fear
34-Paris
35-Careless woolen fabric for rugs
36-Journeys to carry messages
37-Girl's name
40-Wide
41-Abounding in grass
42-To stop, as flag
45-An island on the Gulf of Riga, Estonia
46-One of the people of ancient Media
49-Places
50-Camping, as troops
52-South African
53-Longhand
54-Move rapidly
55-Male descendant
56-Point of compass (abbr.) |
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BRIDGE NOTES

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THE WIDE APPEAL OF BRIDGE.

So widespread is the interest in Bridge, that a magazine of national circulation has been conducting for many months a contest among its readers, offering cash prizes for the most interesting hands. The editor of this magazine states that no feature ever received such instant and widespread approval from the readers.

Cash prizes are offered. Naturally, the hands submitted in such a contest vary in interest, but many of those which do not receive prizes disclose the high standard of technique of Bridge players everywhere.

One of the hands submitted in this contest, which failed to receive a capital prize, but was yet extremely interesting, is the following, submitted by Miss Harriette Feinberg of Philadelphia, Pa.:
West—Dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

North:

S—K Q J 10 9 8 7 5 4
H—5
D—4
C—K 8

West:

S—6 3
H—Q J 9 8
D—8 6 5 2
C—6 5 3

East:

S—A
H—A K 10 4
D—A K Q 3
C—A Q J 7

South:

S—2
H—7 6 3 2
D—J 10 9 7
C—10 9 4 2

The Bidding:

South	West	North	East
Pass	4S	4NT	
Pass	5H	5S	7H
Pass	Pass	Pass	

It was fortunate for East that the new notrump Overcall of an opponent's Pre-emptive bid was available as a Forcing bid; otherwise he would have been in quite a predicament. West's response of five hearts was quite correct, and, although undoubtedly East's Grand Slam was an overbid, it could not be too severely subjected to censure.

The play was interesting in that South was at one time forced to undertrump in order to preserve his protection, but was finally squeezed anyway by a merciless West. North opened the spade King, and the first trick was won by the singleton Ace in Dummy. The Ace and a small heart were then led, disclosing the fact that South held all the missing hearts. Declarer led his last spade and trumped with the King of hearts in Dummy. On this trick South undertrumped by playing the heart 6; it was apparent that any other play here would have been fatal. West's count on the hand was now quite accurate. Placing nine spades with North originally, this rendered South's distribution as probably 4-4-4-1. With this certainty he was able to lead the Ace-King-Queen of diamonds and follow with the last heart. South duly followed to all these tricks, but when Declarer finally laid down the heart Queen, on which the diamond 3 in Dummy was discarded, he was obliged to part with either the good diamond or a low club. When he chose the low club, Declarer took the club finesse, dropped the King

with the Ace, and claimed the last 2 tricks with the Knave-7. A contract which had been rather rashly overbid was made through faultless technique.

ROUND HONG KONG'S CINEMA THEATRES

MAIL REVIEW

"THE STORY OF TEMPLE DRAKE"—QUEEN'S THEATRE

Miriam Hopkins brings to the screen her fifth great successive characterization in the outstanding performance of her career as the heroine of "The Story of Temple Drake," now showing at the Queen's Theatre.

Temple Drake as a character, offers limitless possibilities to the emotional actress, and Miss Hopkins has taken advantage of every opportunity to give an understanding, sympathetic performance. Jack LaRue, in the much disputed role of "Trigger," a ruthless killer who knows what he wants and takes it, is excellent in this, his first big role.

You will admire more than ever before, the work of such splendid actors as William Gargan, William Collier, Jr., and Irving Pichel.

MAIL REVIEW

"CAVALCADE"—KING'S THEATRE

In "Cavalcade," the Fox super-production now showing at the King's Theatre, Hollywood is declared by a home critic to have made Britain's greatest film.

Not only has it made our first truly national film, but also found our first real woman star. Diana Wynyard, a recruit from the London stage, making her screen debut, achieves a triumph by her exquisite acting as the gracious Jane Marryot.

This twenty-six-year-old Swedish-born girl gives a superb performance, yet she was turned down by British film companies as being unsuitable for film work! "Cavalcade" is undoubtedly the finest screen achievement since talkies were introduced, and it was made in America by Frank Lloyd, who was educated at an L.C.C. school at Shepherd's Bush.

The story opens in England at the time of the Boer War in 1899, and shows the march of events up to the conclusion of the Great War. The acting is magnificent throughout.

Clive Brook gives a finely restrained and natural performance as the husband, and Herbert Mundin raises a low comedy role to the level of first-class character acting. "Cavalcade" embodies the soul of England as no other film has yet done, a truly amazing feat considering that it was made so far away. There is not a false note in this inspired parade, and Hollywood must be thanked for making the grandest and most moving picture of our time.

MAIL REVIEW

"PLUNDER"—STAR THEATRE

"Plunder," starring Ralph Lynn and Tom Walls, the inimitable Aldwych pair, is now showing at the Star Theatre.

These two, supported by Winifred Shotter, Mary Brugh and Robertson Hare, give of their best in this film, and keep the house in roars of laughter throughout. The madcaps of Tom Walls and Ralph Lynn in the dead of night is one long riotous laugh, and the film should not be missed on any account.

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MAIL REVIEW

"MONTE CARLO MADNESS"—CENTRAL THEATRE

"Monte Carlo Madness," featuring Sari Maritza, the delightful Viennese actress, is now showing at the Central Theatre.

This Ufa production, taken in its entirety at Monte Carlo, makes ideal entertainment. The story is treated in the musical comedy manner, and is not to be taken seriously. But it is altogether charming with its light romantic touch, and the gay and carefree spirit of Monte Carlo that pervades it.

Sari Maritza as the queen of a European principality posing as a cocotte and making love to the captain of her only battleship, is delightful. Hans Albers, the German star, is splendid as the swash-buckling devil-may-care captain.

The settings are gorgeous, the musical accompaniment unusually fine, and altogether it is a delightful picture.

MAIL REVIEW

"FORBIDDEN ADVENTURE"—MAJESTIC THEATRE

The famous "Skippy kids" again make their appearance on the local screen in "Forbidden Adventure," now showing at the Majestic Theatre.

Mitzi Green, famous for her characterizations of Mr. George Arliss and Edna May Oliver, plays opposite the latter in this film and is one continual roar from start to finish.

Louise Fazenda and Jackie Searl, who takes Jackie Cooper's place as "Skippy," give excellent support and help make the film one of the best comedies seen for some time.

MAIL REVIEW

"BLONDIE OF THE FOLLIES"—ORIENTAL THEATRE

"Blondie of the Follies," the current attraction at the Oriental Theatre, is a brilliant comedy with a cast of stars headed by Robert Montgomery, Marion Davies, Jimmy (Schnozzle) Durante, James Gleason and Billie Dove.

The production is lavish, the glimpses of Manhattan's high life and backstage life of the Follies being featured.

PLANS FOR BACH FESTIVAL

German Function To Be Held At Cologne.

Cologne.
This year's German Bach festival is to be held at Cologne from October 7 to 8.

Professor Abendroth and Professor Heinrich Boell will be the conductors.

Among the artists engaged for the festival are H. J. Moser (bass), Johannes Willy (bass), Amalie Mert-Turner (soprano), Philipp Jarnach and Eduard Erdman (piano) and Hans Bachem (organ).

The arrangements include a "music evening" in the Karthaus Church, a cantata concert in the Christus Church, a choral and orchestral theatrical concert, and chamber music.

THE TSARS OF RUSSIA DESPOILED

Valuables Taken From Coffins.

STRANGE STORY FROM TOMBS

London.
An amazing story which tells of a Commission appointed to open and sack the Imperial Mausoleum in Petrograd has been published in a Polish newspaper, the "Ilustrowany Kurier Tiedziennik."

It is said to have been sent in a letter from a member of the O.G.P.U. to one of the Russian colony in Warsaw, and, if authentic contains matter of great historical interest.

In The Mausoleum.

"I am writing of an unforgettable impression.

"The heavy doors of the Mausoleum swing open, and before our eyes are the tombs of the Emperors arranged in a semi-circle. Before us lies the whole history of Russia.

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"Alexander III is in a general's uniform, richly adorned with his decorations. The body is quickly removed from the silver coffin, the rings taken from the fingers, and the decorations in diamonds from the tunic. The body is then put in an oak container.

"The same procedure is followed with the coffins of Alexander II and Nicholas I.

"The members of the Commission hastened their work as the air of the Mausoleum is heavy.

Mystery of Alexander I.

"Next comes the turn of Alexander I, but there the unexpected is met. The tomb is empty, which seems to confirm the legend that the Emperor's death at Taganrog and his subsequent burial were fictitious, and that he ended his life as a monk in Siberia.

"There was a tense moment when the Commission opened the coffin of the Emperor Paul. The uniform, which fitted perfectly is beautifully preserved, but Paul's head is a nightmare. The wax mask which covers the face has melted away through the action of time and temperature, and disclosed the ghastly wounded face of the murdered Tsar.

"The bodies are hastily placed in the oak receptacles, and the silver coffins that had contained them are piled one above the other.

"The Commission spends a long time over the tomb of Catherine the Great, where they find a quantity of jewels.

Peter the Great.
"At last we come to the last, or rather to the first of them, that of Peter the Great.

"The lid of the silver coffin, which for convenience has been stood on end, breaks open, and to our startled eyes Peter the Great is revealed in all his giant stature. The unexpected sight fills us with awe.

"Peter the Great stands like life before us. His face beautifully preserved, the Great Tsar, who during his lifetime struck terror into the hearts of his people, once more cast his terrible influence upon his beholders. But, whilst transferring it to the oak container, the body which endured for 200 years crumbled into dust.

"The horrible task is completed, and the oak containers with the remains of the Tsars, are taken to the Isankiesky Cathedral.

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 K.C.s):—

12.30 p.m.—European Programme of Columbia Records.
1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report etc.

2 p.m.—Close Down.
Chinese Concert From The Studio.
6-8 p.m.—European Programme.
6-8.21 p.m.—Selections by Billy & His Band.

In The Valley of The Moon MR882.
Love Songs of The Nile
Two Buck Run from Timbuctoo MR977.
The Policeman's Song
Look What I've Got
In The Park in the Pearce MR979.
7 p.m.—Closing Stock & Exchange Quotations.

8.21-7.5 p.m.—A Concert.
Cello Solo—
Adagio (Bizet-Squire)
Tarantelle (Poppo)
W. H. Squire L2871.

Song—
When The King Went Forth to War (Newmarch)
The El King (Mayes)
Norman Allin (Bass) L2098.

Instrumental—
Nocturne (Borodin)
Lerner, String Quartet LX169.

Song—
Nocturne (Rubinstein)
Sophia Braslau (Contralto) L2226.

Octet—
A Venetian Barcarolla
(Arr. Willoughby)
J. H. Squire Celeste Octet DX211.

7.5 p.m.—Variety.
Brigitte Fale (An English Rhapsody)
Sir Thomas Beecham and His
Symphony Orchestra L2294-5.

7.22-8 p.m.—Variety.
Song—
Every Little While
Frances Maddux (Soprano) DB1089.

Violin Solo—
Allegro
Albert Sandler DB1038.

Duet—
Goodnight but not Goodbye
Layton & Johnstone DB1150.

Band—
Soldiers of the King
The B.B.C. Wireless Military Band DB878.

Song—
Try Gettin' A Goodnight's Sleep
Frances Maddux DB1089.

Violin Solo—
Pale Moon
Albert Sandler DB1038.

Duet—
You Did Everything For Me
Layton & Johnstone DB1150.

Band—
Soldiers in the Park
B.B.C. Wireless Military Band DB878.

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.
8.10-8.30 p.m.—Chinese Studio Concert.

10.30 p.m.—To-day's Opening: 10 a.m. Stock Commodity Quotations as received from New York by Messrs Swanwick & Frits (Announced in Chinese).

1.35 a.m.—Close Down.
(All records in the above European Programme, are kindly supplied by Messrs. The Anderson Music Co.)

GIRL FASTS FOUR MONTHS.

Doctors Puzzled By Her Vitality.

Madrid.
An extraordinary case is reported from Orense where a girl aged 14 has been living for four months without taking any food or drinking any water. She is lying in bed but is quite happy and mentally sane. Even the colouring of her face is unchanged.

This case is attracting numerous doctors to the locality who can find no satisfactory explanation for the girl's remarkable vitality.—Reuter.

Reuter.
And where they are put in the basement.
The discomfited states the writer, was carried out under the direction of an organization known as the Pomogold (Help for the Hungry) with the object of mauling down the Silver Coffins and turning to account all valuables on the imperial corpses.—Reuter.

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Cable messages from Washington report the outbreak of strikes and disaffection against the President's new industrial codes at the critical stage of the propagandist drive to secure universal adoption of the codes. A coal strike is partly due to friction between unionists and non-unionists, although under the Industrial Recovery Act, which legislates for the codes, the one exception from general compulsion seems to be the freedom allowed to any worker to join or refrain from joining a union. The great lumber industry is in unrest, because "complexities have made the formulation of a code difficult." Dairy men in New York State held up milk deliveries in an attempt to compel higher prices by a law of their own, like that of the farmers' interception of market deliveries in the Middle West some months ago. In Chicago milk-dealers refused to abide by the Government's licensing orders—whereby recalcitrant trades can be prohibited through refusal of a licence—and have taken to the Courts the question of the producer's freedom in his customary market. This action, it is said, will test the constitutionality of the emergency legislation on the agricultural side. As to the industrial side of the President's programme, observers have already pointed out the inevitable tendency of such a dictatorship in a community like America, "the classic home of unrestrained enterprise" (as Mr. Hartley Withers calls it), to produce: either revolt or flight of capital, or both. The signs are gravely disturbing. President Roosevelt's election book, "Looking Forward," is now being distributed. As the "Manchester Guardian" has said: "The President was elected with a mandate so broad that every citizen was at liberty to look for the realization of his own particular programme of national restoration." He has no longer this liberty. This book expounds the "new deal" which the President promised the American people, and sets up, in the authorized description, the compass by which he will steer during his term of office. But it is already all a background to the actual policy of recent weeks, a terrible admission of what the President meant, but has not been permitted to do. There is much sound sense in the

President's addresses. He inveighs against the stupidity and the "villainy" of the 1930 tariff; the crudities of American banking; the necessity for sound money as an international requirement and "not a domestic consideration for one nation alone"; the gigantic boom in speculation with which America launched the great depression upon the world; and the obligation to recognise a new responsibility towards foreign countries as debtors who are prevented by the tariff from paying what they owe. But upon these things the President, in office under pressure, seems to have turned his back. Too much of the rest of his appeal is not a programme, but an expression of idealism—not, a thought-out scheme of action, but a political sermon. And some of it is so blind to realities as to be dangerous. He lauds the American Constitution as the admiration of the world; and he says "It is so simple and practical that it is possible always to meet extraordinary needs, by changes in emphasis and arrangement without loss of essential form." These passages must leave the President's critics speechless. Mr Roosevelt's indictment of American business practice and of the wasteful overlapping of central and local government authorities is severe enough. There is no question of the need for the most drastic reform in administrative and commercial and banking practices. Nobody more than the President has trenchantly criticised the evils of high Customs tariffs, and especially of the American tariff. He calls it "the ghastly jest," and the root of the whole current economic evil of his country. But he has been obliged to forget these words. The fact that some influences have been so strong as to compel that augurs ill for the success of the whole of the present scheme against sectional pressure, for sectional pressure has thus shown that it can turn the President's intentions aside. Where business interests cannot successfully revolt, they flee. If the "plankton" cannot be resisted or bought off, industries resenting them simply migrate to Canada or elsewhere. The President has recognised that reaction to administrative interference. He himself quotes such effects from the operation of the 1930 tariff. Within two years it reduced American foreign trade, both ways, to about one-third, and American manufacturers established 258 factories abroad to escape their own country's tariff laws. No Canada alone employed an average of four American factories in every week of 1931. Canada was the only country to which American goods were

Venezuela has established a new standard for butter offered for consumption within the republic by setting the sale of other

(By Major C. C. Turner.)

Great Britain continues to provide an example in air armament restriction, despite the fact that other Powers display no inclination to follow it.

For, three, supremely important reasons, she must reconsider the position of the Air Arm in relation to fleets and armies.

By a policy of substitution some of the peace-time duties, not to mention war activities, of ships and of land troops could be undertaken by the Air Force at very much less cost, and not less effectively. This year's Air Estimates statement again bears witness to this fact.

By using the Air Arm to the extent for which it is now fitted decision in war would be expedited, and the horrors attendant particularly upon wars of long duration would be to a large extent avoided. The appalling consequences to the civil population, to women and children, of privations inflicted by long-continued naval blockade would at least be mitigated.

A Separate Arm

A complete recasting of the problem of Imperial defence would show the way to a big net saving through a relative increase of the Air Force. It is not too much to claim that if the problem were now tackled in a spirit unprejudiced by tradition, the Air Force, instead of being smallest of the three Services, would be given at least equality.

Two motions shortly to be debated in the House of Commons will call attention to this matter, but it is of the greatest importance that public as well as Parliamentary opinion should be well informed.

London.

We have to remember that the power wielded by every member of the Air Service is steadily increasing, and that any hundred pilots who at the end of the war controlled an aggregate of 20,000 h.p. to-day control an aggregate of 50,000 h.p. This by no means completes the estimate, but is mentioned merely as an indication of the onward march of air power.

At the present moment, unfortunately, owing to lack of means, the flying boat is not being developed as it might be. It is true that an additional flying-boat squadron is to be formed (it is not specifically mentioned in the Estimates statement), but this will not be an important charge till next year.

In the 50-ton class, now a practically, the flying boat has reached the stage when it could take over at much less cost some of the policing and patrol work of the Navy. In war, for reconnaissance and many other activities it has a tremendous future.

Great Britain is not taking steps to provide for the major air offensive which it would be necessary to wage in the event of a big war. The bombing aircraft of the Home Defence Air Force are available for what is called a counter-offensive, but the conception of this is altogether inadequate; and, added to this deficiency, the other divisions of the Air Services, Army Co-operation and Fleet Air Arm, are on no bigger scale than might have been considered in 1914.

Finally, if the threatened interference with the free development of civil aviation would reduce our air resources below the minimum necessary for bare existence, it would also shatter that industry and cripple design development.

As a result of negotiations over a considerable period with the Hong Kong Government, permission has now been obtained for the opening of a Flying Training School at Kai Tak Aerodrome by the Far East Aviation Company.

The School, which is being formed with the approval of the British Air Ministry, will afford a training in flying and the allied ground subjects on similar lines to those employed in the Royal Air Force.

Air Marshal's Visit.
Air Marshal Sir John F. A. Higgins K.C.B., K.B.E., D.S.O., A.F.C., Chairman of the Board of Sir W. G. Armstrong Whitworth Aircraft Ltd. and Air Service Training Ltd., who is at present in Shanghai, is expected shortly in Hong Kong to confer with the officials of the Far East Aviation Company, who represent the Armstrong-Siddeley group in Hong Kong and China.

The School will undertake the training of members of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps at special rates. Provision has also been made for the training of members of the Hong Kong Flying Club. Pupils of the School will not, however, be confined to residents of the Colony.

According to present plans the School will commence operations about the end of the year or early in January. A definite announcement will be made at a later date.

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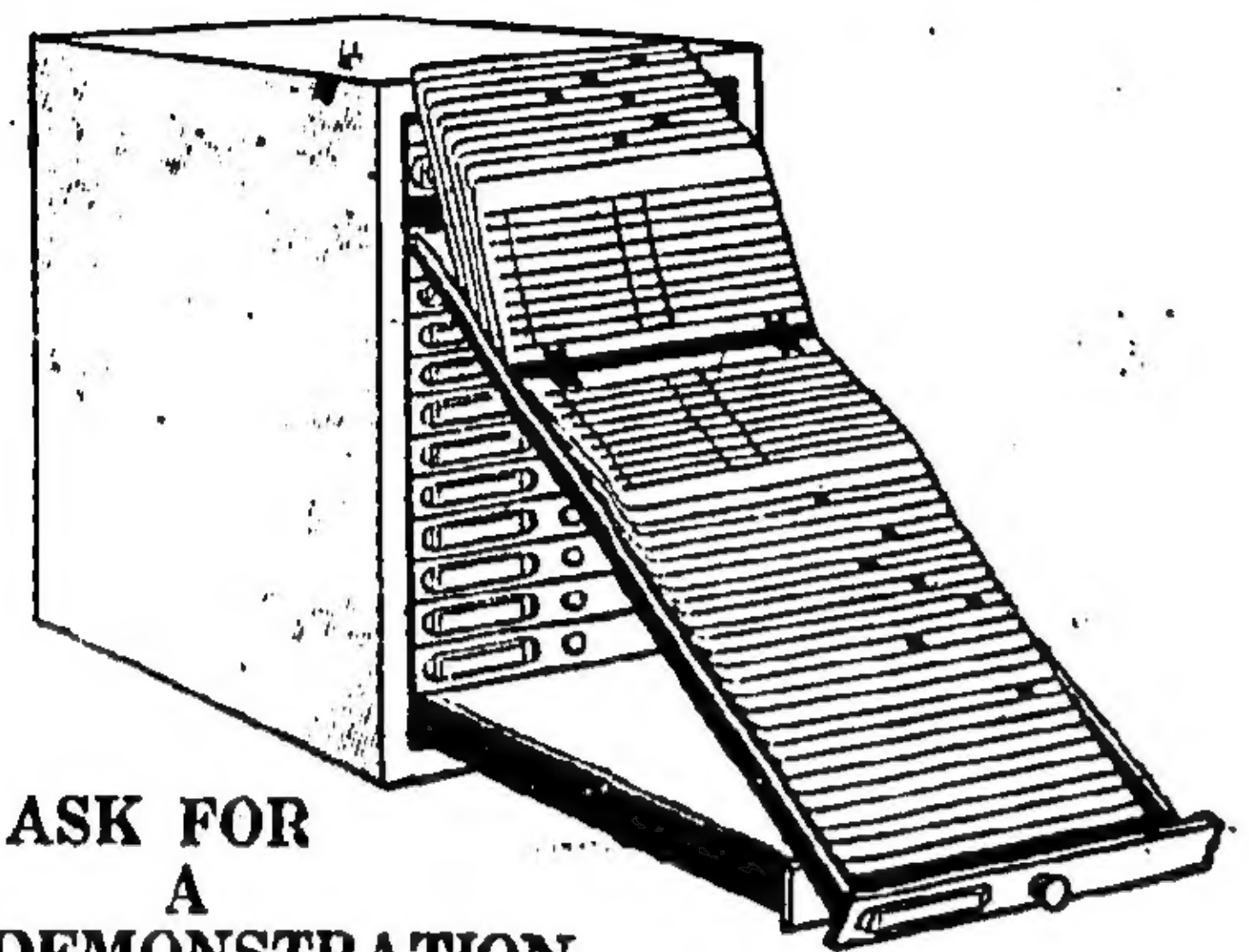
Soda.
A woman in Bulgarian Macedonia, living in the village of Kolanovo, has reached the age of 104. She distinctly remembers her wedding day—30 years ago.
She is a Jewess, but she says that she prefers wine to vodka.

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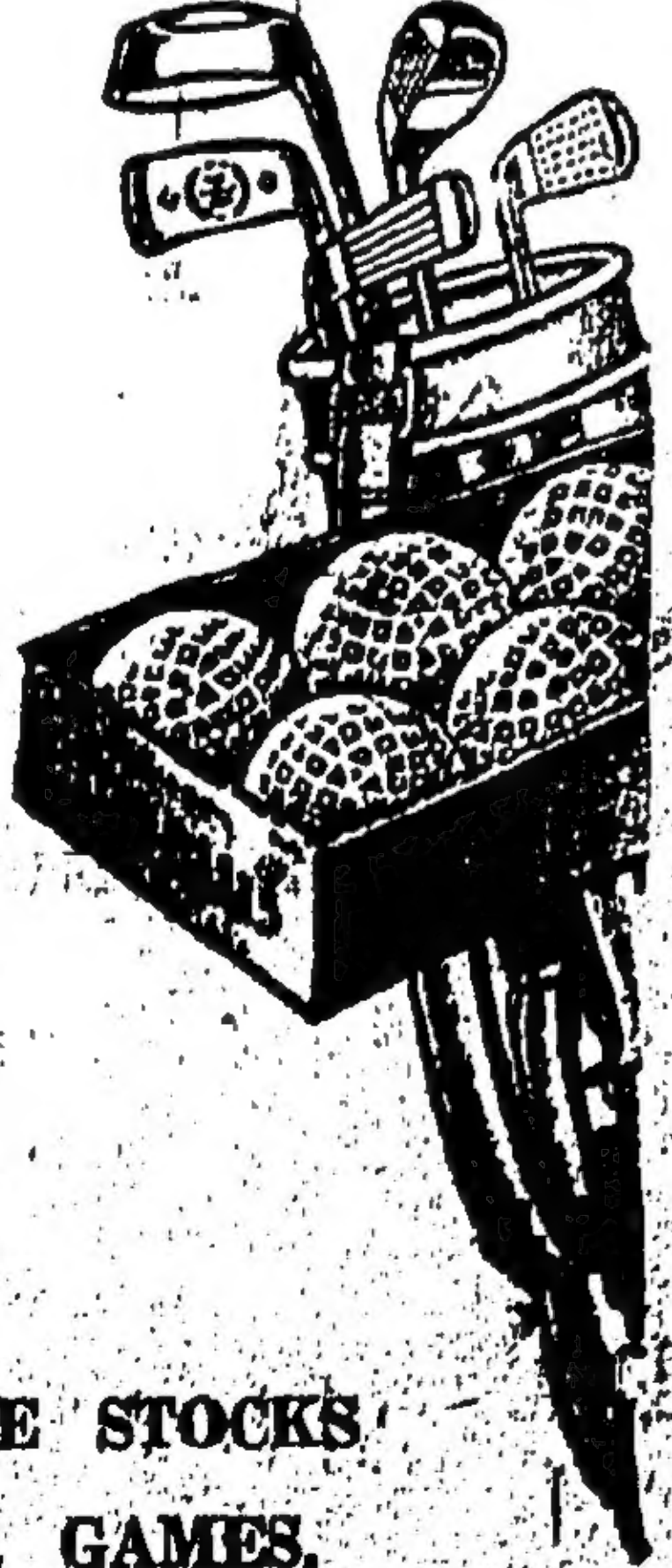
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THE NEW OFFICIALS

THE Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson, Director of Public Works, was elected a Vice President of the Civil Service Cricket Club at the annual meeting last night. After his election His Honour Mr. Justice J. R. Wood, the Chairman, said that the choice had not been made with respect to his official capacity in the Service, but because of his unflinching enthusiasm in the Club over many years.

During the course of his brief speech the Chairman said:

"The principal hope of your Committee is that it will make membership of the Club a tradition in the Service."

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—Cricket 1st XI Captain, Mr. J. E. Richardson; Vice-captain, Mr. B. C. K. Hawkins; 2nd XI Captain, Mr. J. F. McGowan; Vice-captain Mr. H. Edmonds.

General Committee—Chairman, Mr. A. O. Brawn; Cricket Representative, Mr. J. F. McGowan; Tennis Representative, Mr. W. Old; Lawn Bowls Representative, Mr. E. J. Jones; Grounds, Mr. A. W. Grimmett; Hon. Bar Convenor, Mr. S. Eccleshall; Hon. Librarian, Mr. W. J. Lockhart; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. J. A. Bendall; Hon. Secretary, Mr. J. Denkin; and Messrs. J. Barrow, S. Alderman, H. Edmonds.

LAST EIGHT IN BILLIARDS.

Atkinson Chalk's Up Big Break But Loses.

HERRIOTT'S NARROW WIN

A. E. Sands (Navy), Pte. Pye (Lincoln), and L/Cpl. Herriott (Lincoln) have entered the last eight in the Palace Hotel Billiards tournament.

Sands recorded a break of 21 to beat L/Cpl. Keegan (Lincoln) by 150 points to 146. Pye, who was playing his second game in the tournament, chalked up a 25 break to beat Pte. Manson (Lincoln) by 150 points to 126. Herriott beat Pte. Atkinson (Lincoln) by 150-131.

The match between Herriott and Atkinson, both Battalion players, produced the best billiards. Herriott led by 103-60, but Atkinson caught up after a polished break of 84, which is the highest in the tournament, beating Winfield's 32. Herriott, however, ran out by the narrow margin of 19 points.

The following will represent the Central British Association in a friendly hockey match against the Incognites on the home ground, King's Park, at 5.15 p.m. to-day: G. B. Gurevitch; B. I. Bickford, Pole; N. Whitley, S. MacNider, J. J. King; W. H. G. Hirst, T. S. D. Whitley, C. C. Francis, E. Macalder, B. B. Blyth.

The Hong Kong Ladies' Hockey Club will be holding their seventh annual general meeting at Lane, Crawford's Restaurant on Thursday, September 28 at 5.15 p.m.

LINCOLNS CRICKET FINAL AT SHAMSHUPOO

Two-Day Match Postponed

The Final Round of the Lincoln Cricket Shield competition, between "A" and "C" Companies, which was to have been played at Shamshupoo to-day and to-morrow, and not at the Kowloon Cricket Club as previously announced, has been postponed owing to the rain. The change in Venue was made on Tuesday.

ARTILLERY FAVOURED FOR ARMY CUP

Yesterday's Heats At V.R.C.

LT. MARTIN NARROWLY BEATEN

Some very good races were seen during the heats for the British Army (Hong Kong Area) Swimming Championships at the Victoria Recreation Club yesterday evening before a large crowd.

The Royal Artillery are strong contenders for the Aggregate Cup and on the results of yesterday's heats look like carrying off the Trophy.

L/Cpl. Campbell and L/Cpl. Fullager of the Borderers will probably finish in that order in the 150 Yards Free Style, while the third place will probably fall to Gnr. Walker, R.A.

In the 25 Yards Lieut. A. G. Martin of the Borderers swam an excellent race only to be beaten at the finish by a touch by Gnr. Selley, R.A.

The finals will take place this afternoon at the V.R.C. Mrs. Borrett, wife of H.E. the G.O.C. Major General O. C. Borrett, will distribute the prizes at the conclusion of the gala.

The following will enter the finals as a result of yesterday's heats:—Later, Unit Relay (25, 50, 75, 50, 25 Yards):—

20th Battery, R.A., "C" Coy. Borderers H.Q. Wing, Borderers, 12th Battery, R.A.

Army Boys' 50 Yards Handicap:—T. Gilman, H. Clarke, D. Burns and R. Burns.

Indiana's 50 Yards Free Style:—"D" Coy. 3/9th Jst Regiment, 4th H.K.S., R.A., 1st H.K.S., R.A., 5th H.K.S., R.A.

150 Yards Three Styles Army Championships (Breast, Back, Free):—Gnr. Selley, R.A., Gnr. Bower, R.A., L/Cpl. Fullager, Borderers and Pte. (50) Smith, Borderers.

100 Yards Officers' Free Style:—Lieut. F. W. Webb, R.A., 2/Lt. D. Rossier, Lincoln, Lieut. P. de N. Ramus, R.A., Lieut. A. G. Martin, Borderers.

Army Girls' 50 Yards Handicap:—Miss E. Penton, Miss D. Williams, Miss N. Vincent and Miss M. Williams.

150 Yards Free Style Army Championships:—L/Cpl. Fullager, Borderers, Gnr. Ellington, R.A., L/Cpl. Campbell, Borderers and Gnr. Walker, R.A.

Indiana's 100 Yards Free Style:—2nd H.K.S., R.A., "A" Coy. 3/9th Jst Regiment, "B" Coy. 3/9th Jst Regiment and "C" Coy. 3/9th Jst Regiment.

Ballasted Boys' 50 Yards Free Style:—Boy Allison, Lincoln, Tptr. Stanford, R.A., Tptr. Nicklin, R.A., and Tptr. Corder, R.A.

25 Yards Army Championships:—Pte. Martin, Borderers, Gnr. Selley, R.A., Gnr. Gardner, R.A., and Pte. Adams, R.A.M.C.

SENATORS EXPECTED TO MEET GIANTS

FIRST GAME AT THE POLO GROUNDS

Chicago, September 14.

REPRESENTATIVES of the National and American Leagues to-day decided that the 1933 baseball World Series will start at the home city of the winning National League club on October 3. The most likely teams to clash in the world championship series are the New York Giants of the senior loop and the Washington Senators of the junior circuit.

If Bill Terry and his Giants win the National League pennant, the series will start at the Polo Grounds. After the first two games the series will shift to an American League city, presumably Washington, as the Senators are almost certain of annexing the American League gonfalon.

PHILIPPINE SWIMMERS COMPARED

Local Chinese Below the Standard.

POINTERS TO EASTERN OLYMPIAD

Manila, Sept. 18.

Christiansen's record breaking performance in the 100 Metres Back Stroke and the defeat of Ydefonso and Jikrum in the 200 Metres Breast Stroke were the highlights in yesterday's open swimming championships conducted by the P. A. A. F. in the Rizal Natatorium.

Christiansen cracked the Philippine record for the 100 Metres Back Stroke by negotiating the distance in 1 minute and 16 seconds. The old record was 1 minute 16.2 seconds by Tahli.

Ydefonso, who was placed third in the 200 Metres Breast Stroke event in the Olympic Games at Los Angeles, and Jikrum, fifth place winner in the same competition, were both beaten yesterday afternoon by Arasad of the University of the Philippines in 2 mins. 58.3 secs.

As many of the swimmers in these championships will probably be competing in the Far Eastern Olympic next year in Manila the following times as compared with Hong Kong Chinese swimmers' efforts may prove of interest:

1500 Metres.
Monnar McKinley 24.33.3.
200 Metres Breast Stroke.
Arasad 2.58.3.
Kwok Chun-hang 3.22.
100 Metres.
All 1.04.0.
Chan Ki-chung 1.08.2.
100 Metres Back Stroke.
Christiansen 1.16.0.
Chan Ki-chung 1.24.7.

MEDICA BREAKS TWO RECORDS

Seattle Star's Feats At Los Angeles.

JAPANESE CHALLENGE

Los Angeles, Sept. 16.
Jack Medica, of Seattle, established new world's records for the 800 and 1,000 metres free style swimming events in the Far West Amateur Athletic Union water carnival here to-day.

The North-West star swam the 800 meters in 10 minutes 15.4 seconds, and continued on in the same race to do the 1,000 meters in 12 minutes 48.8 seconds.

These times were better than those recognised by the International Amateur Swimming Federation to August 15 last year, but Medica's mark for the 1,000 meters was exceeded last month at Tokyo by Kusuo Kitamura, youthful Japanese prodigy.

The Federation's recognised record for the 800 meters was 10 minutes 16.5 seconds made by Jean Tarré, of France, at Cannes, on June 21, 1932. The recognised mark for the 1,000 meters was 12 minutes 54.5 seconds made by Shozo Makino, 19-year-old Japanese, in the Olympic Games held here on

POLICE MAKE LEFT WING EXPERIMENT

Brooks And Green Make Debut To-day.

ARTILLERY FORWARD IN THE DEFENCE

TO-DAY'S GAME AGAINST LINCOLNS

(By OUTSIDE LEFT)

The Police Football Club have three newcomers to their first eleven team this year, and, with these exceptions, are playing almost the same team as last season.

Brooks, one of the newcomers, is reputed to be a good inside man, and will make his debut this afternoon at inside left against the Lincolns at the Valley.

Green, another newcomer, will partner Brooks on the left wing. He is said to be a steady player, but he will have to make the best of his opportunities if he is to displace C. Pile.

To-day McHardy will be in goal, while Perkins and Weir, the reserve backs, will deputise for Blackburn and T. Pile, who are unable to get off duty.

Gough, who played with success in the forward line for the Artillery first eleven last year, will make his debut for the Police this afternoon at right half. Channing, the Police pivot, will be in his old position, and will be supported on his left flank by Shepherd.

C. Pile, Willerton a reserve, Moss, the regular leader, and the newcomers, Brooks and Green, will comprise the forward line.

The team should give the Lincolns a good game, but are not strong enough to inflict a defeat on the Shamshupoo men who showed good form against the Club last Saturday at the Valley.

Next Tuesday the Police will be at full strength against the Hong Kong Club on the Club ground. Their team will be as follows:—

McHardy; Blackburn and C. Pile; Britain, Channing and Shepherd; T. Pile, Gough, Moss, Brooks and Green.

DAND TO SKIPPER HOCKEY CLUB.

Trial Matches Start Next Week.

A. A. Dand, in spite of rumours regarding his retirement from hockey this season, will again captain the Hong Kong Hockey Club. The following officials were elected at last night's meeting:

President—Mr. W. Woodward.
Hon. Sec.—Mr. J. E. Potter.
Hon. Treas.—Mr. E. V. Reed.
Captain—Mr. A. A. Dand.
Captain 2nd XI—Mr. J. E. Henry.
Captain "A" XI—Mr. H. J. D. Lowe.

The Committee is comprised of Messrs. E. J. R. Mitchell, J. Rodger, G. E. R. Divett, and L. A. R. Duncan.

The Club are holding trial matches next Monday and Friday on the Marina ground.

RECREIO BEAT DOCKS.

"C" Division Tennis Triumph.

On Tuesday the Club de Recreio beat the Kowloon Dock R.C. by 6 sets to 3 at King's Park in the "C" Division of the Lawn Tennis League.

The scores were: J. L. Xavier and M. A. Oliveira (Recreio) beat J. B. Sturgeon and G. H. White 6-0; beat V. M. East and A. Duncan 6-4; lost to C. Millard and W. Tillery 8-6.

V. Yanovich and A. A. Bemelios (Recreio) beat Sturgeon and White 6-1; lost to East and Duncan 6-7; beat Millard and Tillery 8-6.

C. E. Xavier and A. M. Silva (Recreio) beat Sturgeon and White 6-1; beat East and Duncan 6-1; lost to Millard and Tillery 1-6.

Nurmi Thinks Lovelock Mile Record Can Be Bettered

London.

Can four minutes be broken for the mile? Paavo Nurmi, the "Flying Finn" is convinced that the record of 4 min. 7.3/5 secs. set up in America by Jack Lovelock, the Oxford New Zealander, will shortly be reduced and at least by two seconds. If this happens the record will have dropped five seconds in ten years.

Nurmi, who himself held the record from 1923 to 1931 at 4 min. 10.2/5 secs., had been asked what he thought of Lovelock's feat. He answered that it was difficult for him to give an opinion before he knew whether Lovelock was paced and what sort of a track it was.

He said, however, that he expected the new record to be made by either an Englishman or an American, who recently covered the distance in 4 min. 9.4/5 seconds and who is at present running at the top of his form.

Nurmi added that, although there was no doubt that Lovelock and Cunningham were the two best miler in the world at present, his own failure to achieve a time better than Lovelock's while he was in Paris surprised him.

Nurmi thinks that Lovelock, after his record run, ventured the opinion that he could do a min. 6-second.

Certainly, the new record seems in jeopardy.—Reuter.

More Light Thrown On Harold Larwood's Damaged Foot

HAROLD LARWOOD, who may never bowl fast again, has suddenly revealed his doubts to W. F. Sanderson of the "Daily Mail" who says that Larwood's left foot, battered and broken on the cement-like Australian wickets, is no better than when he returned home. Two small bones are broken and the joint of the big toe is gone.

"Specialists tell me," said Larwood, "that time and rest may put things right. When I asked outright, 'What chance is there of complete recovery?' I could get no answer. It has been suggested that the two small bones should be taken away but one knows what the result would be, and the joint cannot be replaced with a new one."

"You ask what I feel," I will tell you the truth. At this moment I could not run a yard, and every morning when I wake the pain in my foot is terrible. I am doubtful about my future. It is no use concealing the fact any longer. Some time later it will have become out that after nearly six months my foot is as bad as when I was, and that the only way I can put it to at the present time is by walking."

If Larwood's misgivings are true, it will be a tragedy not only for English cricket but for the game he adores. Larwood, at the age of 23, has by his success in Australia last year come to be regarded as one of the finest fast bowlers ever.

He was admittedly the centre of the "leg-theory" controversy. But it was only his accuracy that made leg-theory the devastating instrument it was.

"All I wanted was a chance to bowl in England as I did in Australia," he said. "Then my own people could have passed judgment on my methods. I am afraid, however, that something like a miracle will have to happen if I am to do that."

Larwood may never bowl fast again, but he will bowl again for Nottinghamshire, and perhaps for England, some time in the future. He can make it straight away, and he will be a great asset to the team. He will be a great asset to the team. He will be a great asset to the team.

Sporting Page

NATIONAL DAY SHOULD WIN CHALLENGE CUP ON SATURDAY

PONY RECORDS FOR SEASON

All Ponies Entered On Saturday.

BOLD LAD'S FIVE WINS AT MACAO SECURES PRIDE OF PLACE

The following are the pony records for official races at the Valley, Macao and Fanling, only those ponies entered on Saturday being included:

CHINA PONIES

	1st	2nd	3rd	Un.
Bold Lad	5	1	0	1
Partnership	4	2	0	9
Navy Hall	4	0	1	5
Warrington	3	2	2	2
King Salmon	3	2	1	6
Wayward Stag	3	1	0	6
National Day	3	0	1	1
King's Justice	2	4	1	2
Sadko	2	3	1	2
Amoy	2	3	0	4
Hey Tor	2	3	0	4
Solar Star	2	2	2	7
Valley Hall	2	1	3	3
Alexandra Hall	2	1	3	5
De Minimis	2	1	2	0
The Panther	2	1	2	1
Orlando	2	1	2	6
Cossack's Beauty	2	1	0	6
Gay Butterfly	2	1	0	3
Bistre	2	1	0	3
Just Imagine	2	1	0	8
Golden Dragon	2	1	1	3
Powerful King	2	1	1	9
Hetman	2	0	3	2
Brechin	2	0	1	4
Wonderful Stag	2	0	0	5
King's Parade	2	0	0	7
Heller Skelter	2	0	0	7
Tenorio	1	3	3	1
Burgomaster	1	3	2	6
Gay Crusader	1	3	1	2
King's Bounty	1	3	1	3
Jack O'Lantern	1	2	3	4
Daylight Eve	1	2	1	3
Flying Boy	1	2	1	7
Mayflower	1	2	0	2
Now's The Time	1	2	0	2
Jingle	1	1	2	7
Vigilance	1	1	1	2
Fl Fa	1	1	1	4
Wakefield	1	1	1	8
The Crook	1	1	1	10
Black Velvet	1	1	1	12
Bold General	1	0	6	5
Dark Singer	1	0	4	8
Darien	1	0	4	4
Double Face	1	0	1	5
Black Rock	1	0	1	11
Swale	1	0	0	9
Festival Eve	1	0	0	4
Disorderly Conduct	1	0	0	6
Killickit	1	0	0	6
Mon Tailsman	0	3	0	6
Per se	0	2	3	3
Melody	0	2	2	2
Dee	0	2	1	8
Stickypast	0	2	0	11
White Butterfly	0	1	4	9
The Loufer	0	1	1	7
Christmas Belle	0	1	0	2
The Plover	0	1	0	2
Wendy Stag	0	1	0	3
Bugle	0	1	0	4
Paul Jones	0	1	0	4
City of Shanghai	0	1	0	7
Philifter	0	1	0	8
Golly Eyes	0	1	0	12
Flying Tourist	0	1	0	1
Jack Sharkey	0	1	0	3
Mike	0	1	0	4
Galant Fox	0	1	0	4
Gold Key	0	1	0	4
Cebu	0	1	0	5
Gold Box	0	1	0	5
Duplex	0	1	0	5
Victor	0	1	0	5
Millette	0	1	0	6
King's Company	0	1	0	9
Gold Ring	0	1	0	10
Glenn Shee	0	1	0	13
Chateau Bay	0	1	0	0
Amos	0	1	0	0
Chiu Kuan	0	1	0	0
Nippy	0	1	0	0
Philanderer	0	1	0	0
Cavaller	0	1	0	0
Aida	0	1	0	1
Poorly Bay	0	1	0	2
Good Sport	0	1	0	2
The Roundhead	0	1	0	2
Britannic Hall	0	1	0	3
Brown Willy	0	1	0	3
Gold Age	0	1	0	3
Tom	0	1	0	3
Toby	0	1	0	3
King's Council	0	1	0	4
Melancholy	0	1	0	4
Cossack's Blood	0	1	0	4
Glorious Day	0	1	0	4
The Raincoat	0	1	0	4
Triumph	0	1	0	4
Aden	0	1	0	5
Funny Face	0	1	0	5
Alax	0	1	0	7
Maria Petra	0	1	0	7
The Rainstorm	0	1	0	7
Ek	0	1	0	13

AUSTRALIANS

	1st	2nd	3rd	Un.
Wentink's Choice	1	1	1	6
Cossack's Choice	1	1	1	6
The Raincoat	1	1	1	6
Rosey Morn	1	1	1	6
City of Melbourne	0	2	0	3
Tecumseh	0	1	1	4
Golden Dawn	0	1	1	5
Belle	0	1	1	5
Cammy	0	1	1	5
Dancing Jack	0	1	1	5
Sumner	0	1	1	5
But After That	0	1	1	5
Kilren	0	1	1	5

WARRINGTON LIKES THE DISTANCE

PARTNERSHIP FANCIED BY HIS STABLE

FIRST CLASH OF THE SUBS.

(By Gimcrack.)

At one time it was felt that Warrington and the other subs of the first batch were not up to scratch and that the second batch would prove far superior to the earlier arrivals, and there was some justification for this view, as Warrington, Golden Dragon and the best ponies of the first batch proved much inferior to Racing Boy and Bistre of the 1932 lot. When the second batch started to race, however, it became obvious that there was another lot also inferior to the 1932 group, and so opinion still differs as to whether this season's first or second batch of subs, is the better.

Taken collectively, I have no hesitation in saying that the second lot is better, but the top ponies of the first lot, that is to say, Warrington, Golden Dragon, Burgomaster and Hey Tor, are in every way equal to the leaders in the second lot.

In discussing the chances of Saturday's race, it is well to remember that Warrington has had a very successful career so far, and, being Norman Deitz's mount, he has a splendid chance of coming home victorious. Warrington likes the mile and a quarter. It is his distance. He will be running without penalty, and it can be said with safety that he is sure to be placed, whichever way the race is run. Whether the pace is a fast one or a slow one, Warrington will be there at the finish.

There are no fewer than six or seven ponies, however, who would not surprise the fans if they accounted for Warrington.

Golden Dragon's Chance

The first of these, and one most likely to do the trick, is GOLDEN DRAGON, a pony which will go to the post under Mr. Heard. If experience can help the pony any, "Johnny" will do it. But Golden Dragon's chances do not rest entirely with Mr. Heard's experience. He is at present the fittest subscription griffin in training, though his record is not as brilliant as Warrington's.

BURGOMASTER was the most unfortunate pony during the first half of the season. He was always "pipped" on the post or in some other way he lost in unexpected manner. On Saturday he will be under Mr. Davis, a jockey, who, by the way, is likely to make a name for himself in local racing. If the pace is a slow one, Burgomaster has it in him to come away in the last quarter and win.

Pony Placing At Macao On Sunday.

The following were the performances of entered ponies for Saturday in official races at the Macao Meeting last Sunday:

	1st	2nd	3rd	Un.
Blue Plane	1	0	0	0
Bold Lad	0	1	0	0
Bold General	0	1	0	0
Powerful King	0	1	0	0
Alax	0	1	0	0
Golly Eyes	0	1	0	0
The Raincoat	0	1	0	0
Cebu	0	1	0	0
White Butterfly	0	1	0	0

quite well so far, but of course, he has yet to win over anything more than a mile. As an outsider The Panther is definitely a good bet.

Mr. Soares' Task

VIGILANCE is being taken out by Mr. Soares, and it will be interesting to see how he will react under a new jockey. He has the speed to race anything in the first or second batch over six or seven furlongs, and can hold his own up to the mile and a quarter if the earlier pace is not too fast. Vigilance, if he does not secure a big lead early on, will have no chance. If he is allowed to take a long lead, however, and he is quite capable of helping himself to a few lengths before the first half mile is over, he will prove a danger, as he has sufficient quality about him to put up a good show in the run home.

A month ago MELODY was fit and sound and running beautifully, and many a mental note must have been made at the time regarding his chances in the subs' classic. At that time, he was the only pony (bar Golden Dragon perhaps) which was in tip-top condition. To-day he is still fit and sound, and it has been whispered among the few who know anything about him that he is the best thing for the race.

Melody will be prominent all the way, as the pony gets away easily and can stay in front without much effort. Whether he will be beaten or not depends, not so much on how he runs in the home straight, for he is sure to run well, but how the others will watch him in the race. There is no other pony in the race that can afford to give Melody any ground at the top of the straight.

Hey Tor Doubtful

The stable with two probable candidates is Mr. Lewis'. He has Hey Tor and De Minimis, and Mr. Pan will be riding whatever is selected to go to the post, and, although at one time it was thought that Hey Tor would be selected, I do not think there is any doubt that the pony will be DE MINIMIS. "Running very well now, but still a bit on the fat side," was a comment I heard regarding him lately. His performance this week has been very encouraging and he is sure to have a good following. If he does not swing wide into the straight, as he generally does in a race, he will make them run.

I do not expect De Minimis to win, but I do most certainly think he will be well up at the finish.

Now we come to the best pony of the second batch, NATIONAL DAY. Whatever faults one might find with National Day, there is one thing that no one can say against him, and that is that he is not game.

The way in which he won the Subscription Griffins' Champions, when running on "three legs," so to speak, says volumes for the pony. He was a bit tired before the race, but how he ran!

National Day failed in the Valley Stakes, because it was too short for him, and the Sports Club Cup, because it was too long for him, but the distance on Saturday should suit him well.

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LEADING OWNER'S COMEBACK

It is understood that Mr. Ho Kom-long, O.B.E., will arrange his interest in racing next year after an interval of three years. Formerly he was one of the leading owners.



National Day, with Mr. Benny Proulx up, being led in by Mrs. Chau, wife of Dr. S. N. Chau, the owner, after winning the Second Tower Stakes from Gay Butterfly on Easter Monday.

Selections For Saturday

(By RAPIER.)

Race 1—	Mayflower
Race 2—	Tenorio
Race 3—	Solar Star
Race 4—	Hey Tor (if starts)
Race 5—	Heller Skelter
Race 6—	King Salmon
Race 7—	Canny
Race 8—	Natuk
Race 9—	City of Melbourne
Race 10—	Hetman
Race 11—	Sadko
Race 12—	Navy Hall
Race 13—	National Day
Race 14—	Golden Dragon
Race 15—	De Minimis
Race 16—	Esk
Race 17—	Just Imagine
Race 18—	Maria Petra
Race 19—	Gold Ring
Race 20—	Black Rock
Race 21—	Wendy Stag
Race 22—	Wakefield
Race 23—	Alexandra Hall
Race 24—	Wayward Stag
Race 25—	No Fear
Race 26—	Paul Jones
Race 27—	Funny Face

CHALLENGE CUP STARTERS

JOCKEYS NOW NOMINATED.

The following are certain starters in the Subscription Griffins' Challenge Cup over 1 1/4 miles on Saturday:

National Day (Proulx)
Golden Dragon (Heard)
Burgomaster (Davis)
Warrington (Deitz)
Now's The Time (Ip)
Gay Butterfly (Butler)
De Minimis (Pan)
Melody (Harriman)
The Panther (Frost)
Partnership (Liang)
Vigilance (Soares)
Duplex (Charles)

SUBS. DELAYED BY TYPHOON

The batch of 75 subscription griffins, which were to have arrived yesterday by the S.S. Taming, have been delayed by the typhoon. It is understood they have left Swatow and will arrive here tomorrow morning. Over a hundred were ordered so there are bound to be disappointments.

AUSTRALIAN GRIFFIN WANTED

It is rumored that a well-known Chinese syndicate are circulating Mr. Eddy Young's new Australian griffin which it is supposed they will buy for the racing season.

GOLDEN DRAGON MAY CAUSE UPSET

DE MINIMIS FAVOURED FOR THIRD PLACE

ALTERNATIVE FOR THE "DOUBLE"

(By Rapier.)

UNBEATEN over 1 1/4 miles National Day, with Mr. Benny Proulx up, is the most likely candidate for the Subscription Griffins' Challenge Cup on Saturday.

Warrington, with Mr. Norman Deitz up, is a warm favourite, but I cannot see him beating either National Day or De Minimis with Mr. S. N. Pan up. Should there be an upset due to the condition of the course the best outsider is Partnership (Mr. S. Y. Liang).

If Hey Tor accepts he should be watched, in spite of the belief that he cannot stay the distance. Whatever wins a useful dividend will be paid, as it is one of the most open classics in the history of the Colony Turf.

The innovation of the "double" on the fifth and eighth races will cause punters to scratch their heads, and I would suggest National Day and Wakefield, or National Day and Alexandra Hall.

The opening meeting of the second half of the season always brings a crop of surprise dividends. The public resume backing their favourites of the Spring. Some of these do not summer too well and backward ponies show improvement. It is the best policy to back only the fit ponies.

The Challenge Cup for Subs. should be one of the finest races of the year as no one can confidently name the winner. There has been considerable betting outside and to date Warrington is the favourite. He is being ridden by Norman Deitz, the young rider who met with such success on the Han-kow track.

Of the sixteen entries four are very doubtful starters. King Salmon is likely to start in the "D" Class event under Mr. "Gus" da Rosa; Flying Boy (Mr. H. P. Chanson) is a doubtful acceptor; and to date no rider has been secured for Disorderly Conduct. Hey Tor is the other uncertain starter.

Gay Butterfly caused disappointment on Wednesday at the early morning gallops and should not be a dangerous challenger, in spite of the fact that he won the Maidens and the Sports Club Cup.

Vigilance Impresses

Vigilance performed an impressive gallop on Saturday morning and he is right in the running. He will have a change of jockey, as Mr. F. M. L. Soares will be up.

Now's The Time seems to dislike his training, and if his work is any criterion he is surely out of the hunt.

The Panther is a good outsider, but he is hardly a dependable bet as Mr. Leo Frost will readily admit.

The finish should witness National Day, Golden Dragon, De Minimis, Warrington, and Vigilance in a thrilling struggle.

Dancing Jack's Debut

Will "Dancing Jack," one of the finest "Australians" seen on the course, cause an upset on his debut appearance? He turned up for training on Monday after having been trained at Fanling where he was rested following his "break-down."

It is difficult to say whether he is definitely sound, but he is looking a picture, although slightly on the fat side. Mr. Frost rode him quietly over his furlongs on Monday, covering the first half mile in 1:10.0, but the pony finished very convincingly on the bit with a last quarter of 0:27.1.

Mr. Frost is apparently taking him in good stead, and if he is as good as he looks, he will be a contender for the best of them.

ed if he was beaten out of a place, as I am doubtful whether he is perfectly sound. He will win any amount of races later on.

Rosey Morn might go out in this event, and if she does, it will have to be remembered that she holds the record for five furlongs and will be a distinct danger.

Sunup's brilliant performance yesterday morning when he finished the most impressive gallop in 0:27.0 has made him a serious contender.

Canny (Mr. Heard) should win with City of Melbourne and Ntuku in the places.

Sadko's New Rider

Sadko will be taken out in the "A" and "B" class event by Mr. F. M. L. Soares, and should come second to Hetman. Both ponies are in the pink of condition.

King's Justice, who ran so well at the close of the first half of the season, was taken over a slow mile in 2:28.0 by Mr. Proulx on Saturday, and as he has not been given any fast work it is more than probable that he will be held over for a later engagement.

Navy Hall did a fast gallop on Sunday morning, but as he is apparently not as fit as he was in June he is unlikely to make any impression on the two favourites.

Mr. "Duffy" Davis, recent arrival from the North, will have the mount. His best chance will be on Alexandra Hall in the "C" Class event. Wakefield's running against Tenorio at the last meeting has made him a strong challenger to Alexandra Hall and Wayward Stag in the "C" Class Handicap, and I think he will win.

The Griffins Mile will be between Mayflower, Tenorio, Solar Star and Street Singer. Mayflower will be hard to beat.

Tenorio ran well to win the mile event in June, but this pony is certainly not an honest one as his morning work has definitely proved. It is a gamble on which way he will go when the barrier rises, and, judging from the fact that Mr. Proulx dared not touch him with whip or boots, was though hotly challenged by Mr. Frost on Wakefield, there is a chance that this pony may go mushroom picking in the middle of the race. If disposed to run, however, he will gallop with the best of them.

JACKIE NORONHA RIDING AGAIN ON SATURDAY

Requires Only One Win

Mr. "Jackie" Noronha will on Saturday be riding in his first race at the Valley since his nasty spill on Snappy Eve at the beginning of the first half of the season.

Requiring only one win to graduate from the Novice Class, Mr. Noronha is taking out But After That, The Rainstorm, and Flying Tourist.

THE JOCKEY RECORDS FOR FIRST HALF

Johnny Heard Leads Leo Frost.

'ALLEY, MACAO AND FANLING RESULTS INCLUDED IN STATISTICS

Sunday's List From Macao

The following are the records of all the local jockeys for official races at the Valley, Macao, and Fanling during the first half of the season:

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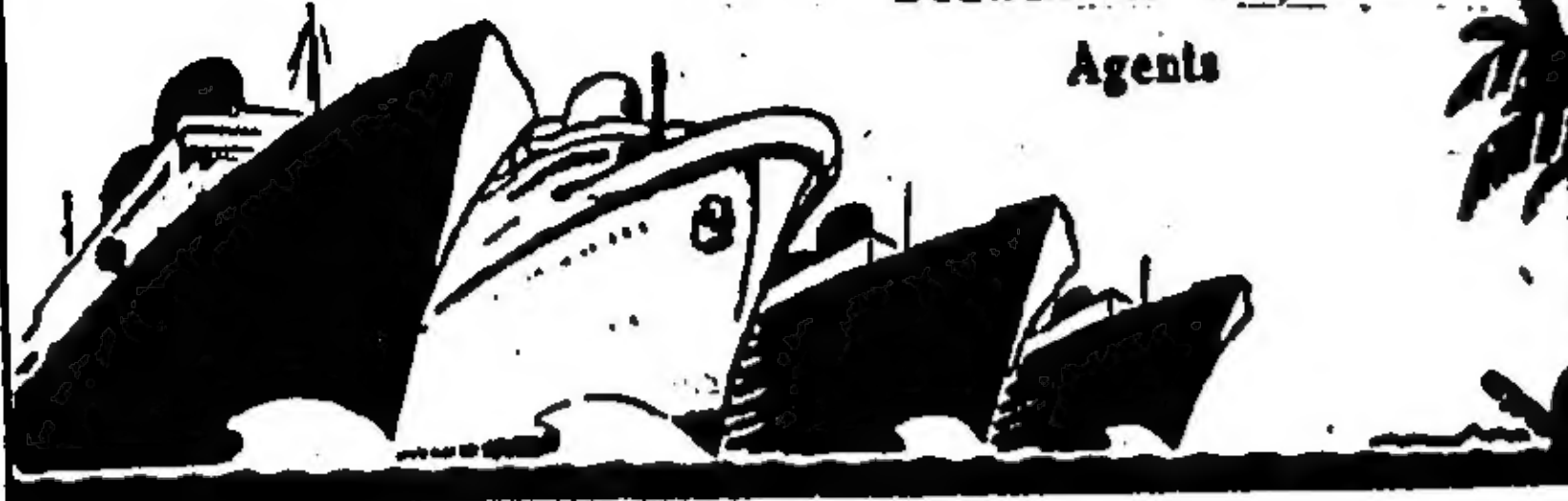
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DR. ECKENER GREETED AS GERMAN HERO

Graf Zeppelin Pilot—In South America.

FAMED AS "WEATHER WISE"

By Guido Enderis.

Berlin. His friends call him "the flying philosopher," but to millions of Germans Dr. Hugo Eckener remains "Germany's grand old man of the air."

Dr. Eckener observed his fifty-sixth birthday in Rio de Janeiro, where the Graf Zeppelin arrived on its fourth South American trip this year. Somehow his trans-oceanic flights have ceased to be hot news, because of the monotonous regularity with which the dirigible succeeds in arriving at its destination at the announced time.

Although he sought the seclusion of a foreign port for the celebration of his birthday, Dr. Eckener was made the subject of a flood of congratulations as profuse in their cordiality as they are grateful in acclaiming him as Germany's most popular hero and as that citizen who has contributed more than any other in winning back world fame for Germany and her technical achievements.

Noted For Being "Weather Wise."

Dr. Eckener's friends, including those identified with him in building flying dirigibles, will tell you that the secret of his achievements is to be found in the circumstance that he is "weather wise" in many directions. He is credited with having an extraordinary gift of scent, not only when it comes to detecting friendly or hostile air currents, and it has often been remarked that German politics lost its most precocious talent when he chose to confine himself to constructing and piloting dirigibles.

He invariably heads any list of potential Presidential timber whenever available successors to President von Hindenburg are being canvassed, but those who claim to know him aver that he is not harbouring the Presidential bee in his jaunty mariner's cap that rakishly tops his rugged head with its furrowed, weather-beaten face.

When the Graf Zeppelin took off from Friedrichshafen for Pernambuco and Rio de Janeiro recently it exhibited for the first time the emblem of the Third Reich, and the swastika is now making its first trans-Atlantic trip through the air since it became the insignia of the national resurgence. It is painted on the left surface of the dirigible's steering fins.

How He Met Zeppelin.

Dr. Eckener delights to recount the circumstances under which he first met Ferdinand Zeppelin, the father of German dirigibles. He had just completed a course of study in philosophy national economy at the University of Leipzig and had decided to retire to a quiet spot on Lake Constance in the vicinity of Friedrichshafen, where he intended to do a book on the relation of employing to ready capital.

That was in 1904, and in the course of his roamings he soon found himself mingling with men who were then laying the scientific foundations for the Zeppelin plant. He describes his first meeting with Count Zeppelin as follows: "We met during a rowing and sailing contest on Lake Constance and our acquaintance soon reached a stage where I felt myself emboldened to express my views on dirigibles and their handling, having acquired some knowledge of nautical science in my old home town of Flensburg. I blurted out the Count that his system of navigation was all wrong, that since a dirigible was no different from an ordinary ship its operation also depended on the simple application of the general laws of navigation."

It would seem that Dr. Eckener made an impression on Count Zeppelin, who invited him to join his scientific staff. It was not long before he became the guiding genius and in the progress of the post-war years, when the plant was struggling to obtain the necessary operating capital, he brought to full fruition the legacy left him by the pioneering Ferdinand Zeppelin.

U.S. Visit in Fall. Dr. Eckener will remain in Rio de Janeiro until the Graf Zeppelin calls at that port in September on its next South American trip. He plans to fly to the United States via South America in October and hopes to have the new dirigible LZ-129, now building in Friedrichshafen, ready for a trial flight in the autumn of 1934.

The proverbial "weather wise" that enables Dr. Eckener to avoid

DANGEROUS CROSSING

(Continued from Page 7.)

may have felt, our marriage was wrong. Robin and I live in different worlds." Something in Jeremy's expression brought the colour to her cheeks.

"If I hadn't known that you loved Robin," he said gravely, "I should have asked you to marry me long ago, Judy. I've always loved you."

Even as he uttered the words the infection of his voice was such that any disloyalty to Robin was wiped out. Jeremy was not pleading his own cause: he was stating a simple truth that would no longer be denied.

"And if Robin were to divorce me," she said recklessly.

"You're upset," he said hastily. "You can't settle things like this, Judy. I'm going now. In the morning you will feel different; you'll go back and be happier than you've ever been before."

Bitterness Dies. But in the morning Judy was still adamant. And no word came from Robin to the premises where she worked.

He couldn't realise that it was because she wanted so desperately for him to have his chance that she clung to her income. Now it was too late to try to make him realise it. He wouldn't understand.

Marriage was like a ship on a heavy sea; a ship facing a dangerous crossing; a ship needing careful steering.

The bitterness, the anger, suddenly went; she looked ahead, calmly, reflectively.

The months passed. Jeremy mentioned Robin one evening when he and Judy were dining together. She asked eagerly: "What's he doing, Jeremy? How is he?"

"From all accounts, he's making rapid strides. Started on his own, now."

The colour dyed Judy's cheeks. "But—but—"

"He needed money in order to do that—eh?" Jeremy smiled. "Perhaps he found someone who believed in him. He's going to make good, Judy. Mark my words."

Judy's lips twisted into a queer little smile.

"I'm going to get Robin to divorce me," she said. "We can both start again then. It is the best way."

Jeremy's eyes were sad.

It was late when she returned home. She looked pale, tired; her arms hung loosely by her sides as she mounted the long flight of stairs that led to the solitary room she rented. She opened the door.

"Robin!" she cried.

He looked at her. There was a strange expression in his eyes; an expression she had never before seen; an expression which both uplifted and frightened her.

"Forgive me," he said quickly. "I had to come."

She tried to be casual.

"I heard you've started on your own," she said, in a rather high-pitched voice, "I'm glad, Robin." She paused. "Don't let us be bitter about things," she added quietly. "Better for us to arrange a divorce

air pockets and circumvent ocean gales has also kept him aloof from any entanglement in the stressful German domestic politics of the last decade. He has never been attacked from any quarter and has never been obliged to make any political apologies.

A staunch advocate of international co-operation, Dr. Eckener has given long and deep thought to the problem of Franco-German reconciliation. Responding to a request for his views on this vexed subject, he set down the following among other observations:

"Franco-German reconciliation has to overcome the prejudices of a disposition fashioned in a thousand years of history. On both sides of the Rhine the problem must be taken in hand by purposeful governments composed of far-seeing men who will not allow themselves to be borne by the turbid chaotic current but will endeavour to establish a stable opinion even at the hazard of temporarily becoming unpopular in many quarters."

The question is whether the prevailing democratic parliamentary constitution would admit of a policy of far-seeing statesmanship. If not, one would sorrowfully have to bow his head."

These observations, Dr. Eckener set down for publication late in September, 1931, on the eve of the arrival in Berlin of Pierre Laval and Aristide Briand, the first French statesmen to visit the Reich since the Congress of Berlin in 1872.

start again. I told Jeremy so, to-night."

"You mean that you will marry him?" Judy nodded.

"I've come to—to apologise," he said. "If it means anything to you, I've learned my lesson; learned to know how wonderful you were and how brutal, how damnably ungrateful I was." He looked at her searchingly, then: "Why did you do it, Judy?" he asked, huskily. "Why, after the way I behaved to you?"

Putting Back the Clock. "Why—why did I do—that?" "Finance me."

"So Morgan told you," she spoke breathlessly, the colour flamed into her cheeks. "And he promised me—"

"In the beginning he made me believe that it was he who was willing to back me," Robin broke in. "But Morgan's more than a solicitor, he has a heart, he'd seen you and seemed to think—" Robin averted his gaze. "I can't thank you; it seems almost an insult in the circumstances, but I can still—love you," he added in a whisper. "One day I'll be able to repay you; and in the meantime, I can try to atone by giving you your freedom. Jeremy's a fine chap, he's worthy of you."

He paced the room for a second: there was a tense silence. Then: "If you knew the torture it has been for me to realise that all the time you were working, saying, denying yourself—as you must have done—so that one day you might help me realise all my ambitions! Oh, God! If one could put back the clock!"

"One can," she said, and a little sigh escaped her lips. "Robin, can't you see that I love you—love you! From this minute I have no other work in all the world save to look after you—to be just your wife."

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Washington.

After receiving four long-distance telephone calls from Mrs. Sidney C. Graves, a distant cousin of President Roosevelt and a prominent member of Washington society, Dr. Irving Cassell, a veterinarian, dashed by aeroplane to Brooklyn, Maine, to treat her prize-winning Samoyed dog, Balkash.

Dr. Cassell took off from the Washington-Hoover Airport at 7 a.m. with orders to charter a special amphibian plane at Boston and continue the 700-mile trip to Mrs. Graves's summer home without a minute's delay.

Mrs. Graves, the former Miss Olga Roosevelt, daughter of the late Col. Robert Roosevelt, is the wife of a prominent real estate man.—Reuter.

SHE LONGS FOR AN ACCIDENT

Berlin.

There is a woman at Wegwitz, Thuringia, whose greatest desire is to meet with an accident. The woman, who is 40, slipped and fell when dancing. She was struck dumb by the fall.

Now the doctors say that her only hope of recovering her voice is to undergo another shock.—Reuter.

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RAWALPINDI	17,000	5th Oct.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
NELLORE	10,000	12th Oct.	Amoy, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
SANTHIA	8,000	20th Oct.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
COMORIN	15,000	1st Nov.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
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September 19.
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Norviken, for Swatow.
Tai Ping, for Keelung.
Yu Sang, for Amoy.

CUPID 'SLUMPS' IN U.S.A.

New Low Record Of
Marriages In 1932.

DIVORCE FIGURES DROP.

Washington.
A new all-time marriage low of only 7.87 per cent. marriages for each 1,000 of population in America was set in the hard times year of 1932, the Census Bureau announces.
For the first time in 21 years, the number of American marriages in 1932 fell below the million mark, with only 981,759. Annual marriage statistics date back to 1887 and in all that time the rate has never before fallen below 8.5 per cent per 1,000.
The divorce rate, which was on the upward climb from 187 until the stock market crash of 1929, also has fallen since then. There were 160,329 divorces granted in the United States in 1932 as compared to 183,644 in 1931.
For the whole country there were 6.1 marriages to each divorce in 1932, as against 5.3 in 1931.—Reuter.

HONG KONG TIDES

Time Meridian 120 deg. E. (Zone - 11) which is midnight, 12h. is noon. Heights are referred to the datum of the lowest low water. Admiralty chart of the place and should be added to depths, unless preceded by an asterisk (*) when they should be subtracted.

September 21 to 27, 1933.

Date	High Water	Low Water	Standard Ht.	Standard Ht.
	H. M. P. H. M. P.	H. M. P. H. M. P.		
Sept. 21	10 10 10 10	10 10 10 10	2.5	2.5
Fri. 22	10 10 10 10	10 10 10 10	2.5	2.5
Sat. 23	10 10 10 10	10 10 10 10	2.5	2.5
Sun. 24	10 10 10 10	10 10 10 10	2.5	2.5
Mon. 25	10 10 10 10	10 10 10 10	2.5	2.5
Tues. 26	10 10 10 10	10 10 10 10	2.5	2.5
Wed. 27	10 10 10 10	10 10 10 10	2.5	2.5

Warrington's Chances

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National Day Not Favoured

National Day, however, is not favoured for the race, because in several of his training gallops this month, he has finished behind much inferior ponies. The "wise ones" have shaken their heads and begun to ask if he is not over-trained and other silly questions which reveal their wisdom. Actually, National Day is as fit as ever and if he has not been running well at his early morning exercises, there is no reason to believe he will not run well in the race itself.

There is a big difference between the grass track and the sand track, but there is a much bigger difference in running a race at full-speed and running it at a half pace for most of the journey and then bringing out a brilliant last quarter.

Many ponies which do well in training (like Coo Coo Bay) turn out to be sprinters that can stay only half a mile or so. On the other hand some ponies cannot go slow over a mile or so and then come along and beat all opposition in the home straight. National Day seems to be on of these.

Benny Proulx will be riding him on Saturday, and don't be surprised if National Day chalks up quarters of 32 and 31 all the way!

After Golden Dragon he is the biggest danger to Warrington. GAY BUTTERFLY won the Valleys with Mr. Butler up, and later won the Sports Club Cup. He is as fit as a fiddle today and has it in him to spring a surprise.

The public is not going to leave Warrington, Golden Dragon and National Day unbacked, and if Gay Butterfly wins there is going to be a big dividend.

Mr. Butler rode the pony well in the Valleys and is hoping to carry off the Challenge Cup.

Partnership's Challenge

I am not one who takes pride in spilling a "good thing" by passing around stable secrets, and fortunately it is no secret that PARTNERSHIP is expected by his connections to win this race. Mr. Liang has the mount. Partnership has been going the pace in his early morning exercises, and should be able to put in a very fast last quarter. He is a bit on the lean side, but that does not make much difference as he is both fit and well. I do not think, however, that he is as good as anything in the race, and he might be worth watching for a big dividend. Mr. Liang can ride these subs very well and I remember his handling of Fi-Fa a couple of seasons ago when he nearly accounted for the Sub-Griffin St. Leger, which was won by The Grouse by the narrowest of decisions.

Dynasty Entrant

Then there is KING SALMON from the Dynasty stable. The pony has done some good gallops this month, but does not appeal to me, although I hear he enjoys the confidence of quite a large circle of racegoers.

King Salmon will not be in the picture in a fast race, and that is the only way the race on Saturday will be run.

NOW'S THE TIME, has given Mr. Ip sufficient trouble during the first half of the season to be entirely neglected for Saturday's race. The pony is classy enough, but he is liable to stop running at the most critical moment, or on account of his behaviour at the gate he may be left several valuable lengths behind at the start.

To sum up the position, it looks as if Warrington, Golden Dragon and National Day will fight out the issue.

Several others will be quite near in the most open Subscription Griffins' Challenge Cup event in many years.

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Chicago Wheat Prices Fall.

New York, To-day.

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Sales showed an increase, 422 contracts of 25,000 ounces being traded.

Chicago wheat prices experienced a decline on the day, the September price declining from 83 1/2 cents per bushel to 82 1/2 cents. They may price fell 1 1/2 cents per bushel.

MR. SOONG PLANS PEKING VISIT.

Urgent Financial Problems.

Shanghai, To-day.

The China Press quotes a Chinese telegram from Peking, stating that Mr. T. V. Soong is planning to visit Peking in view of the urgent financial problems in North China.—Reuter.

HEAVY SLUMP ON WALL STREET

Lack Of Inflationary Development.

INDUSTRIAL STOCKS SHOW WEAKNESS

New York, To-day.

The lack of a definite development on inflationary demands induced considerable liquidation in silver on the New York market, yesterday.

The general market showed weakness, industrials and rails slumping 2.65 and 2.42 to 103.09 and 46.86 respectively. Utilities and bonds declined .98 and .55 to 26.68 and 84.47 respectively.

Business was average, 2,420,000 shares being traded.

In their daily report, Messrs. E. A. Pierce and Company, through their local correspondents, Messrs. Asia Lands, Ltd., state:—

"The action of the market speaks for itself. Under the circumstances, we think the only advice is to stand aside and await developments."

"Wheat: Secretary Wallace's statement that price fixing and inflation would not permanently cure the present economic conditions brought about liquidation."

"Cotton: At the opening, offerings caught stop-loss orders, forcing prices downward. The Trade was the principal buyer."—Reuter.

"REDS" FALL BACK IN FUKIEN.

Government Aeroplanes In Pursuit.

Foochow, To-day.

According to an official communique, the "Red" remnants in north-western Fukien are continuing their retreat towards the north-western border under the pressure of pursuit by Government aeroplanes.

The main body of "Reds" have fallen back on Shao-wu from Shun-chung and surrounding districts.—Central News Agency.

BRITAIN AND FRANCE MAINLY IN AGREEMENT

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Within the last week or two, Mr. Norman Davis, Chief American Delegate, has discussed the points at issue, with the British Ministers in London, and with the French Ministers in Paris, while the Italian Government has also contributed helpful suggestions to these exchanges among the representatives of the chief Powers.

The general effect is that an agreement within recent weeks has been brought sensibly nearer, and, although many difficult points are still outstanding, the chances of securing a Disarmament Convention have undergone a distinct improvement since the Conference adjourned last June.—British Wireless Service.

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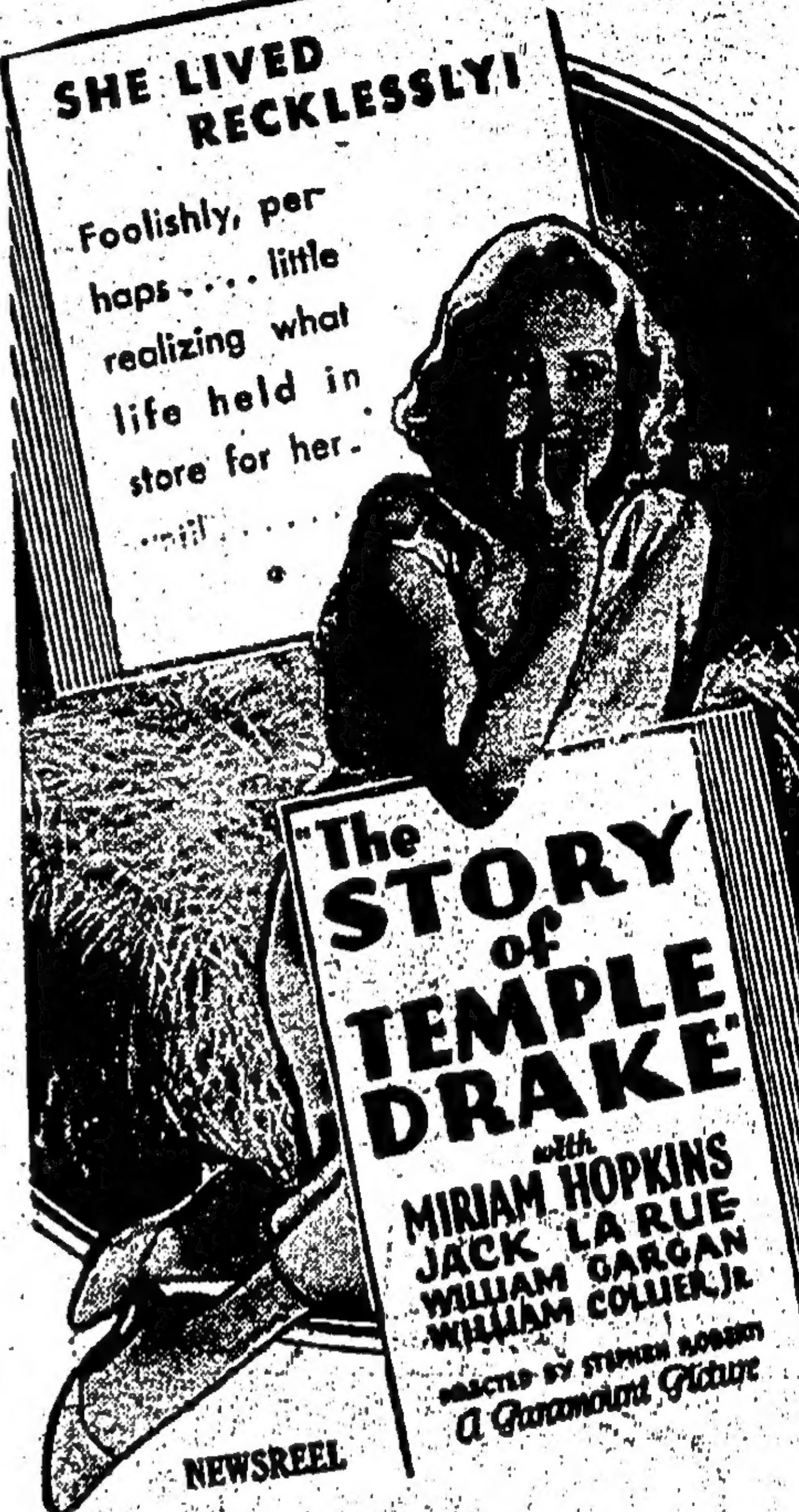
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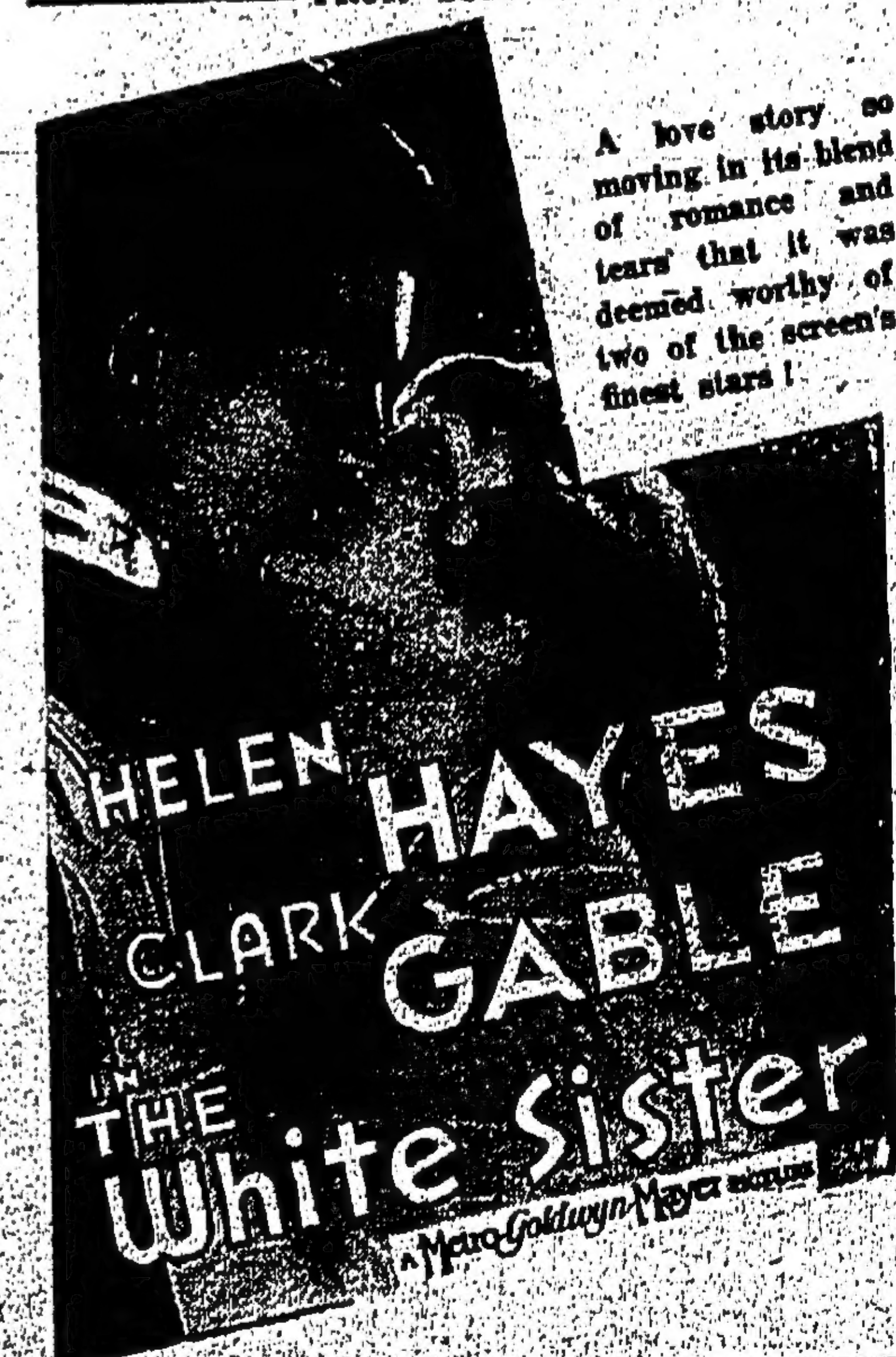
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